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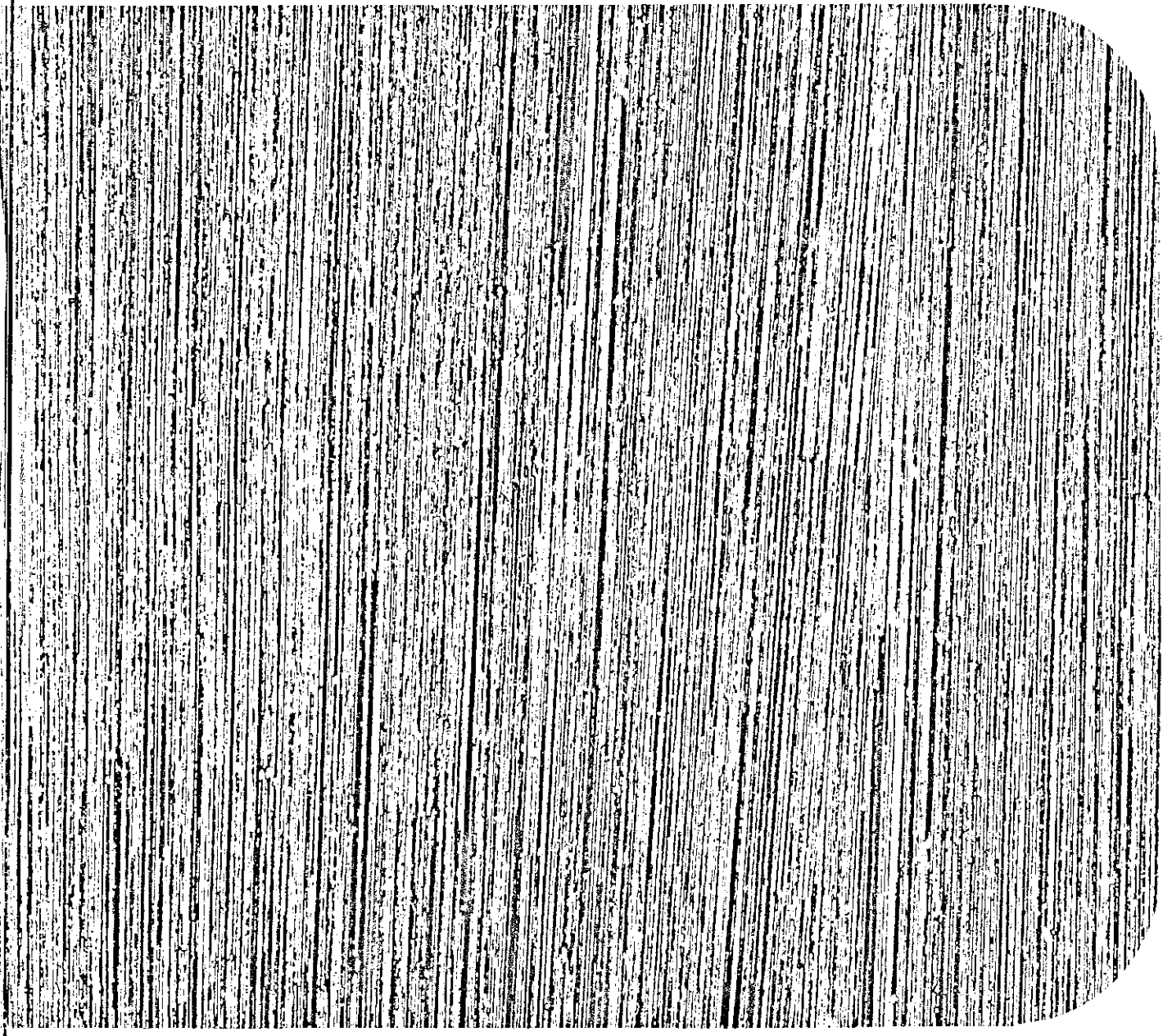


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## PREFACE

This is one in a series of 8 publications relating to the 1974-75 Household Expenditure Survey. It contains estimates of household expenditure according to size and composition of household, further classified by household income and capital city.

First results of the survey were presented in summary form in Bulletin No. 2 : Preliminary Results, which was published in July 1976. Some of those figures are revised in this bulletin.

For details of the other publications in the series see page 27.

This was the first major survey of its kind to be undertaken by the Australian Bureau of Statistics. It was conducted in order to find out how the expenditure pattern of private households varies according to income level and other characteristics such as size and composition of the household, age and occupational status of the household head. Information of this kind had been sought for a wide range of policy and research purposes.

While the first survey was confined to capital cities, a second survey was conducted in respect of the year 1975-76 and covered non-metropolitan areas also.

Special thanks go to the sample of households whose co-operation and high degree of response was vital to the success of the survey.

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## EXPLANATORY NOTES<sup>1</sup>

### Scope and coverage

The estimates contained in this bulletin are based on a sample of private dwellings selected in the six State capital cities and Canberra<sup>2</sup>. Private dwellings included houses, home units, flats, caravans, and any other structures being used as private places of residence. Hotels, boarding houses, institutions, etc., were defined as special dwellings outside the scope of the survey.

2. Information was collected on a household basis (see paragraph 8), rather than for selected individuals in the population, because many items of expenditure relate to the household as a unit. These include shared expenditure on items such as food, accommodation and household goods and appliances. The following categories of households (or persons) were excluded from the survey :

- (a) foreign diplomats and their staff;
- (b) foreign servicemen and their families stationed in Australia;
- (c) persons from overseas countries touring or holidaying in Australia;
- (d) visitors staying with the household for less than four weeks after the initial interview;
- (e) usual residents absent at the time of the initial interview and not returning within 7 days; and
- (f) usual residents who were going away within 7 days of the initial interview and not returning before the end of the two-week diary keeping period.

Children under 15 years of age who were away at boarding school or away for less than four weeks were included as members of a household.

3. Of the 12,000 households selected for the survey, 9,095 supplied the complete range of data. The difference is accounted for by households which could not be contacted; were unable to fully participate; or were otherwise non-respondent. The estimation procedure was designed to represent such households by using data for responding households which were judged to be similar for certain characteristics.

### Collection method

4. Personal interviews by trained interviewers were used to collect information on expenditure items which occur infrequently (e.g. purchase of vehicles and property, and the payment of household bills such as electricity and gas) and to collect details of income. In addition, all household members aged 15 years and over were asked to record all payments made over a two-week period in a diary provided to each of them. Consequently each household was involved in the survey for two weeks, although the sample of households was spread evenly over the 12-month survey period.

### Definitions

5. *Expenditure* was defined as all payments for goods and services for private use, made by all members of the selected household aged 15 years and over. In general, expenditure was collected on the basis of payments made during the reference period rather than on the basis of goods and services 'acquired' or 'consumed' during the period. As indicated in paragraph 4, information about most types of expenditure was obtained on a current basis from the diary, although some infrequent items of expenditure were collected on a 'recall' or last payment basis. The length of the recall period ranged from two years for house purchase to three months for health expenses.

6. *Income* was defined as gross income from all sources before taxation and other deductions were made, and was collected from all members of the selected household aged 15 years and over. The main components of income are :

- (a) wages and salaries (including income-in-kind received from an employer);
- (b) income derived from self-employment (including wages and income-in-kind taken from the business);
- (c) government social service benefits;
- (d) income from investments (including interest, dividends, royalties and rent); and
- (e) other regular income (including educational grants and scholarships received in cash,

1 For a detailed explanation of the concepts, methodology and procedures used in the 1974-75 Household Expenditure Survey, see Bulletin 1 *An Outline of Concepts, Methodology and Procedures*.

2 Dwellings for Darwin were selected in the original sample. However, cyclone Tracy in December 1974 caused the suspension of operations in Darwin and no estimates for Darwin are included in this bulletin.

benefits received from an overseas government, income received for professional advice outside the normal job situation, superannuation, worker's compensation, alimony or maintenance, and any other allowances regularly received).

7. Although information about most types of income was obtained on a current basis, some data, principally incomes from investment and from self-employment, were obtained in respect of the previous twelve months or financial year.

8. *A Household* was defined as a group of people, who live together as a single unit in the sense that they have common housekeeping arrangements; that is, they have some common provision for food and other essentials of living. A person, or persons, living in the same dwelling but having separate catering arrangements, constituted a separate household.

9. *The Head of a household* was taken to be that person nominated by the member(s) of the household as the 'head'. This person was usually the male 'breadwinner'.

10. *Adults/Children.* Adults are persons aged 18 years and over. Children are persons under 18 years of age. However, a head of household is defined as an adult irrespective of age.

11. *Workers* are those persons aged 15 years and over who reported any 'earned' income (i.e. income from self-employment or from part-time or full-time wage and salary employment). In general, persons who were asked to report 'earned' income were those who worked in a job or business, or received income from a job or business, at any time during the four weeks prior to the week of interview.

12. *Retired persons* are those persons who reported no 'earned' income and who described themselves as being retired (e.g. having retired from work for reasons of age or sickness).

### Interpretation of results

13. Since the estimates are based on a sample, they may differ from the figures that would have been obtained from a collection based on the whole population using the same questionnaires and procedures. These differences are called sampling errors. One measure of the sampling error of an estimate is the standard error percent (i.e. the standard error expressed as a percentage of the estimate). The size of the standard error percent of an estimate depends on :

- (a) the size of the sample on which the estimate is based (the smaller the sample, the larger is the standard error percent);

- (b) the variability in frequency of reporting and in the size of the reported values (e.g. expenditure on household appliances would be more variable and hence have a higher standard error percent than expenditure on meat).

Care should be exercised in the use of the figures in this bulletin, especially where sample sizes are small (e.g. for the smaller capital cities and for some income ranges) and for those expenditure items subject to large variability. In particular some of the items relating to expenditure on clothing and footwear, household equipment and operation, recreation and education, and 'other payments' (notably in gambling and in capital housing costs) may be subject to large sampling errors. As a result, some estimates of expenditure on particular items appear unusual when compared with expenditure on the same items by households with the same composition in a different income group or capital city. Details of standard errors associated with the figures in this bulletin are not yet available for publication although some advice can be given on application to the Central Office of the ABS. Bulletin No. 3, *Standard Errors* will provide a guide to the standard errors of estimates in this and other bulletins in the series.

14. In addition to sampling errors, the estimates are subject to the following types of non-sampling errors:

- (a) errors in reporting (e.g. because some answers were based on memory, or because of misunderstanding or unwillingness of the respondent to reveal all details);
- (b) biases caused by differences which may have existed in the characteristics and patterns of expenditure and income between respondent and non-respondent households within the scope of the survey;
- (c) errors arising during processing (e.g. coding, data recording). In particular, the detailed statistics in Tables 6.1 and 6.2 of this bulletin are more susceptible to errors arising from the incorrect classification of individual payments to expenditure categories than are the more broadly classified statistics in the remainder of the bulletin.

Considerable effort was made to minimise these types of errors by careful questionnaire design, intensive training and supervision of interviewers, asking respondents to refer to records wherever possible, and extensive editing and quality control checking at all stages of data processing. In an attempt to minimise biases caused by non-response, adjustments were made to the weights<sup>1</sup> allocated to respondent households having certain characteristics, in an attempt to take account of the number of non-respondent households with the same characteristics.

1 The factors used to expand the sample data to obtain population estimates.

15. When comparing the estimates of expenditure in this bulletin with estimates based on other statistics such as production, sales and excise data, it seems that expenditure on certain items, particularly alcohol and tobacco, is understated. This would be in line with experience in other countries which have carried out similar surveys. However, it is not possible to make precise comparisons because of differences in scope between this survey and other statistical data.

16. Because of the extended collection period of the survey, changes in money values and changes in the relative prices of goods and services have some implications for the interpretation of the results. The time reference periods of data items differed, first, because households were approached at different points of time during the 12 months duration of the survey and, second, because data items were obtained in respect of varying time reference periods (e.g. medical expenses in respect of the previous 3 months, purchase of motor vehicles in the previous 12 months). These factors may have caused some data distortion and complicate the interpretation of results for certain purposes. For example, two households with similar characteristics, one selected towards the beginning of the survey period and the other towards the end, may have been classified into different income groups solely because of changes in wage levels between the two collection dates. In a sense, therefore, all classifications and data items are based on average prices or incomes prevailing over the period to which the collected data related.

17. In comparing estimates for households of different compositions, between income ranges and between cities, it should be noted that factors other than household size and number of children can contribute to the differences. These include : age structure of the household, average number of persons working, average

number of retired persons, and distribution of employees between occupations and industries.

#### Relationship between expenditure and income

18. The table below shows, for each income range and household composition group, average expenditure as a proportion of average income. Average expenditure exceeded average income in the lowest income range (most noticeably for households with children) while in the higher income ranges average income exceeded average expenditure. For the medium and higher income ranges, income tax payments (which are included in 'other payments' and not in expenditure) account for a large part of the difference between income and expenditure. Some households may finance the purchase of some items of expenditure from savings and from other sources such as loans, receipt of maturing insurance policies, gifts, windfall gains, and profits from the sale of assets, which are not included in income as defined for the survey.

19. The table shows a high ratio of average expenditure to average income for 'low income households'. However, it should be noted that there are relatively small numbers of households in some of these groups. Also, not all households classified to the low income groups necessarily receive that level of income on a long term basis. For instance, because of retrenchment, recent business losses, or changes in personal circumstances, some households may have had lower than usual income during the data reference period (see paragraph 7). Such households may meet contractual commitments (e.g. mortgage and hire purchase repayments) and maintain expenditure on other items, partly out of savings, borrowings, etc. Because of the small sample numbers, estimates for these groups are likely to have relatively high sample errors.

AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME, 1974-75  
(per cent)

Composition of households	Average weekly household income						All households
	Under \$80	\$80 and under \$140	\$140 and under \$200	\$200 and under \$260	\$260 and under \$340	\$340 or more	
1 adult	108.3	78.6	70.4	66.2	53.3	39.4	76.7
2 adults	116.7	95.4	80.1	66.7	63.1	53.6	71.3
3 or more adults	120.3		87.7	82.1	74.2	63.8	72.3
1 adult with children	171.0	99.8	90.1	69.5			99.5
2 adults, 1 child	245.3	106.6	85.0	72.8	66.0	57.3	77.6
2 adults, 2 children	316.4	118.2	88.0	76.1	67.9	58.8	80.0
2 adults, 3 children	286.6	119.0	91.2	77.7	70.0	68.3	82.2
2 adults, 4 or more children	121.0		93.5	82.6	74.3	62.3	80.8
3 or more adults with children	122.1			87.4	77.8	67.9	75.6

## Related Publications

20. Other ABS publications which may be of interest to users of this bulletin include :

*Income Distribution, 1973-74 : Part 2* (Reference No. 17.8)

*General Social Survey Bulletin No. 1 – Preliminary Estimates of Families* (Reference No. 13.17)

*Australian National Accounts – National Income and Expenditure, 1974-75* (Reference No. 7.1)

*Consumer Price Index* (Reference No. 9.1)

*Average Retail Prices of Selected Food and Grocery Items, Six State Capital Cities and Canberra* (Reference No. 9.3)

All publications produced by the ABS are listed in *Catalogue of ABS Publications* (Reference No. 1.8) which is available free of charge from any office of the ABS.

NOTE. Where differences occur in tables between totals and the sums of components, these are due to rounding and to differences in the methods of deriving estimates at the different levels of expenditure.



## HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE SURVEY 1974-75

TABLE 6.1

## EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITHOUT CHILDREN

## ALL CAPITAL CITIES(b)

ITEM NO. (A)	COMPOSITION OF HOUSEHOLDS WITHOUT CHILDREN(c)			
	1 ADULT	2 ADULTS	3 OR MORE ADULTS	ALL HOUSEHOLDS WITHOUT CHILDREN
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN SAMPLE (B)	1407	2474	698	4579
<u>ESTIMATED TOTAL NUMBER IN POPULATION</u>				
HOUSEHOLDS ('000)	413.2	735.1	204.5	1352.8
PERSONS (C) ('000)	413.2	1470.1	678.9	2562.2
PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER ('000)	412.5	1468.8	678.5	2559.7
<u>AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD</u>				
ALL PERSONS	1.00	2.00	3.32	1.89
MALES	0.40	0.97	1.78	0.92
FEMALES	0.60	1.03	1.54	0.98
5 AND UNDER 18 YEARS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
18 AND UNDER 65 YEARS	0.63	1.57	2.96	1.49
65 YEARS AND OVER	0.37	0.42	0.36	0.40
PERSONS WORKING (D)	0.50	1.25	2.25	1.17
RETIRED PERSONS (E)	0.15	0.23	0.23	0.21
AVERAGE AGE OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD (F) (YRS)	54.56	48.66	52.76	51.08
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME (G) (\$)	98.13	193.95	310.52	182.31
<u>COMMODITY OR SERVICE</u>				
<u>AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)</u>				
1-6 CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (H)	14.15	22.11	21.12	19.53
7-10 FUEL AND POWER	2.07	3.06	3.89	2.89
11-45 FOOD	14.30	25.61	44.29	24.98
11-14 BREAD, CAKES AND CEREALS	1.40	2.59	4.10	2.46
15-20 MEAT AND FISH	3.15	6.68	10.92	6.24
21-27 DAIRY PRODUCTS, OILS AND FATS	1.82	3.30	5.44	3.17
28-35 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	1.97	3.88	6.05	3.62
36-45 OTHER FOOD	5.95	9.15	17.77	9.47
46-50 ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO	4.54	8.87	15.80	8.59
51-60 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	5.96	11.75	21.32	11.43
61-69 HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION	5.98	14.83	17.35	12.51
70-74 MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)	2.42	5.06	7.92	4.69
75-83 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION	10.12	22.18	46.03	22.10
84-92 RECREATION AND EDUCATION	5.88	10.37	24.41	11.12
93-97 MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	9.78	14.36	22.37	14.17
1-97 TOTAL EXPENDITURE (I)	75.24	138.23	224.54	132.04
98-102 OTHER PAYMENTS (J)	15.72	38.34	61.01	34.86

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## HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE SURVEY 1974-75

TABLE 6.1(cont.)

## EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITHOUT CHILDREN

## ALL CAPITAL CITIES(b)

COMPOSITION OF HOUSEHOLDS WITHOUT CHILDREN(c)				
ITEM NO. (A)	1 ADULT	2 ADULTS	3 OR MORE ADULTS	ALL HOUSEHOLDS WITHOUT CHILDREN
NATURE OF HOUSING OCCUPANCY		NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS ('000)		
RENTED	167.4	213.9	44.2	425.5
FURNISHED	72.1	65.8	14.6	152.5
UNFURNISHED	95.3	148.1	29.6	273.0
GOVERNMENT (K)	21.9	26.1	6.7	54.6
OTHER LANDLORD	73.4	122.0	23.0	218.3
RENT FREE	26.1	24.2	2.7	53.0
OWNER OCCUPIED	219.7	497.0	157.6	874.3
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE	50.8	224.6	62.3	337.6
OWNED OUTRIGHT	168.9	272.4	95.3	536.6
TOTAL	413.2	735.1	204.5	1352.8
OCCUPANCY / CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (L)		AVERAGE WEEKLY EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS IN EACH OCCUPANCY GROUP (\$)		
RENTED-				
1	RENT PAYMENTS	19.31	26.37	32.78
3-5	OTHER HOUSING COSTS	0.66	0.88	2.15
	TOTAL	19.98	27.24	34.93
RENTED FURNISHED-				
1	RENT PAYMENTS	20.70	28.29	40.93
3-5	OTHER HOUSING COSTS	0.39	0.57	0.32
	TOTAL	21.09	28.86	41.25
RENTED UNFURNISHED-				
1	RENT PAYMENTS	18.27	25.51	28.75
3-5	OTHER HOUSING COSTS	0.86	1.01	3.05
	TOTAL	19.13	26.52	31.81
GOVERNMENT (K), UNFURNISHED-				
1	RENT PAYMENTS	8.36	12.22	12.77
3-5	OTHER HOUSING COSTS	0.07	1.11	5.13
	TOTAL	8.43	13.33	17.90
OTHER LANDLORD, UNFURNISHED-				
1	RENT PAYMENTS	21.22	28.35	33.39
3-5	OTHER HOUSING COSTS	1.10	0.99	2.45
	TOTAL	22.32	29.34	35.84
RENT FREE-				
3-5	ALL HOUSING COSTS	†	†	†
OWNER OCCUPIED-				
2	MORTGAGE PAYMENTS (H)	4.14	10.68	6.00
3	RATE PAYMENTS	3.05	3.36	3.92
4	HOUSE INSURANCE	0.56	0.67	0.81
5	REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE	2.15	4.17	4.88
	TOTAL	9.90	18.88	15.61
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE-				
2	MORTGAGE PAYMENTS (H)	17.92	23.64	15.18
3	RATE PAYMENTS	3.22	3.23	3.94
4	HOUSE INSURANCE	0.55	0.68	0.91
5	REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE	1.26	4.47	4.92
	TOTAL	22.95	32.01	24.94
OWNED OUTRIGHT-				
3	RATE PAYMENTS	3.00	3.47	3.91
4	HOUSE INSURANCE	0.56	0.66	0.75
5	REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE	2.42	3.92	4.86
	TOTAL	5.97	8.05	9.52

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TABLE 6.1(cont.)

## EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS (a) WITHOUT CHILDREN

## ALL CAPITAL CITIES (b)

## COMPOSITION OF HOUSEHOLDS WITHOUT CHILDREN (c)

ITEM NO. (A)	1 ADULT	2 ADULTS	3 OR MORE ADULTS	ALL HOUSEHOLDS WITHOUT CHILDREN
<u>CURRENT HOUSING COSTS</u>				
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)				
1 RENT PAYMENTS	7.83	7.68	7.09	7.64
2 MORTGAGE PAYMENTS (H)	2.20	7.22	4.62	5.30
3 RATE PAYMENTS	1.71	2.31	3.05	2.24
4 HOUSE INSURANCE	0.30	0.46	0.63	0.44
5 REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE	1.66	3.16	4.23	2.86
6 HOUSING PAYMENTS FOR OTHER DWELLINGS	0.46	1.27	1.49	1.06
TOTAL	14.15	22.11	21.12	19.53
<u>FUEL AND POWER</u>				
7 ELECTRICITY	1.36	2.01	2.54	1.89
8 GAS	0.52	0.71	0.96	0.69
9 LIQUID FUELS	0.17	0.28	0.34	0.26
10 OTHER FUELS	0.03	0.06	0.05	0.05
TOTAL	2.07	3.06	3.89	2.89
<u>FOOD</u>				
11 BREAD	0.61	1.13	1.72	1.06
12 FLOUR	0.03	0.07	0.11	0.06
13 CAKES, BISCUITS, ETC.	0.60	1.09	1.78	1.04
14 BREAKFAST AND OTHER CEREALS	0.16	0.31	0.49	0.29
15 BEEF AND VEAL	1.19	2.51	4.16	2.36
16 MUTTON AND LAMB	0.53	1.07	1.72	1.00
17 POULTRY AND GAME	0.34	0.66	1.15	0.64
18 PORK	0.13	0.28	0.45	0.26
19 OTHER MEAT AND MEAT UNSPECIFIED	0.70	1.59	2.65	1.48
20 FISH AND OTHER SEAFOODS	0.26	0.57	0.79	0.50
21 EGGS	0.34	0.58	0.88	0.55
22 FRESH MILK AND CREAM	0.74	1.27	2.29	1.26
23 CHEESE	0.20	0.42	0.64	0.38
24 BUTTER	0.23	0.39	0.63	0.38
25 OTHER DAIRY PRODUCTS	0.11	0.17	0.25	0.16
26 MARGARINE	0.12	0.25	0.32	0.22
27 OILS AND FATS N.E.C.	0.09	0.22	0.43	0.21
28 FRESH FRUIT	0.60	1.05	1.87	1.04
29 CANNED AND FROZEN FRUIT	0.10	0.22	0.26	0.19
30 DRIED FRUITS AND NUTS	0.11	0.23	0.35	0.21
31 FRUIT JUICES	0.16	0.31	0.53	0.30
32 POTATOES	0.17	0.39	0.55	0.35
33 OTHER FRESH VEGETABLES	0.61	1.17	1.76	1.09
34 FROZEN VEGETABLES	0.08	0.21	0.31	0.19
35 OTHER PROCESSED VEGETABLES	0.14	0.31	0.40	0.27
36 SUGAR	0.09	0.16	0.24	0.15
37 SYRUPS, HONEY, JAMS, JELLIES, ETC.	0.13	0.21	0.27	0.19
38 CONFECTIONERY	0.31	0.68	1.13	0.63
39 ICE CONFECTIONERY	0.13	0.29	0.50	0.27
40 TEA	0.13	0.20	0.30	0.19
41 COFFEE	0.14	0.22	0.31	0.21
42 COCOA AND OTHER PROPRIETARY FOOD DRINKS	0.03	0.05	0.09	0.05
43 MEALS OUT AND TAKE-AWAY FOODS	4.04	5.43	11.59	5.94
44 OTHER FOOD AND FOOD UNDEFINED	0.57	1.00	1.58	0.95
45 SOFT DRINKS AND AERATED WATERS	0.38	0.92	1.75	0.88
TOTAL	14.30	25.61	44.29	24.98
<u>ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO</u>				
46 BEER	1.60	3.30	6.36	3.24
47 WINE	0.52	1.08	1.44	0.96
48 SPIRITS	0.64	1.15	1.91	1.11
49 DRINKS UNDEFINED AND ICE	0.27	0.39	1.19	0.48
50 TOBACCO	1.50	2.95	4.90	2.80
TOTAL	4.54	8.87	15.80	8.59
<u>CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR</u>				
51 MEN'S OUTER CLOTHING	1.02	1.79	4.18	1.91
52 MEN'S SHIRTS AND UNDERWEAR	0.50	0.87	1.85	0.90
53 WOMEN'S OUTER CLOTHING	1.53	4.16	6.76	3.75
54 WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR	0.52	1.03	1.51	0.95
55 BOYS' CLOTHING	0.05	0.10	0.09	0.08

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TABLE 6.1(cont.)

## EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITHOUT CHILDREN

## ALL CAPITAL CITIES(b)

ITEM NO. (A)	COMPOSITION OF HOUSEHOLDS WITHOUT CHILDREN(c)			
	1 ADULT	2 ADULTS	3 OR MORE ADULTS	ALL HOUSEHOLDS WITHOUT CHILDREN
<u>CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR (CONT.)</u>				
56 GIRLS' CLOTHING	0.05	0.08	0.12	0.07
57 INFANTS' CLOTHING	0.03	0.17	0.11	0.12
58 MISC. CLOTHING AND CLOTHING MATERIALS	0.77	1.30	2.43	1.31
59 DRY CLEANING AND CLOTHING SERVICES	0.37	0.62	1.21	0.63
60 FOOTWEAR	1.13	1.62	3.05	1.69
TOTAL	5.96	11.75	21.32	11.43
<u>HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION</u>				
61 FURNITURE	1.35	3.29	2.12	2.52
62 FLOOR COVERINGS	0.29	1.61	1.59	1.20
63 TEXTILES, OTHER HOUSEHOLD FURNISHINGS	0.85	2.43	3.13	2.05
64 HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES	1.05	2.81	3.51	2.38
65 KITCHEN TABLEWARE AND OTHER UTENSILS	0.59	1.29	2.26	1.22
66 TOOLS	0.16	0.77	1.36	0.67
67 HOUSEHOLD NON-DURABLES	0.84	1.96	2.52	1.70
68 HOUSEHOLD AND DOMESTIC SERVICES	0.74	0.46	0.59	0.57
69 INSURANCE OF CONTENTS OF DWELLING	0.12	0.21	0.27	0.19
TOTAL	5.98	14.83	17.35	12.51
<u>MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)</u>				
70 MEDICINES, PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS, ETC	0.56	1.12	1.64	1.03
71 DOCTORS' FEES	0.27	0.43	0.67	0.42
72 HOSPITAL AND AMBULANCE CHARGES	0.08	0.17	0.40	0.18
73 OTHER HEALTH PRACTITIONERS' CHARGES	0.49	0.82	1.25	0.78
74 ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE	1.03	2.53	3.97	2.29
TOTAL	2.42	5.06	7.92	4.69
<u>TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION</u>				
75 PURCHASE OF CAR (NET) (M)	1.70	5.72	11.78	5.41
76 PURCHASE OF OTHER VEHICLE (NET) (M)	0.25	0.43	0.98	0.46
77 PETROL AND OTHER MOTOR VEHICLE FUELS	1.74	4.00	8.07	3.93
78 VEHICLE REGISTRATION AND INSURANCE	1.16	2.69	4.66	2.52
79 OTHER RUNNING EXPENSES OF VEHICLES	2.11	5.10	12.69	5.33
80 RAIL FARES	0.29	0.51	1.67	0.62
81 BUS AND TRAM FARES	0.54	0.77	1.47	0.81
82 OTHER PUBLIC TRANSPORT AND FREIGHT	0.84	0.99	1.92	1.09
83 POSTAL AND TELEPHONE CHARGES	1.47	1.96	2.76	1.93
TOTAL	10.12	22.18	46.03	22.10
<u>RECREATION AND EDUCATION</u>				
84 TELEVISION, RADIO, RECORD PLAYERS, ETC.	0.95	2.58	6.94	2.74
85 HIRE OF TELEVISION	0.14	0.15	0.24	0.16
86 RADIO/T.V. LICENCE (N)	0.13	0.20	0.25	0.19
87 PHOTOGRAPHIC AND OPTICAL GOODS	0.19	0.56	1.98	0.66
88 HOBBIES, SPORTS EQUIPMENT & ACCESSORIES	1.43	1.75	3.94	1.98
89 PETS, PET FOOD, ETC.	0.57	1.14	1.76	1.06
90 ENTERTAINMENT AND RECREATIONAL SERVICES	1.21	2.14	5.30	2.33
91 BOOKS, NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES	1.05	1.69	2.96	1.69
92 EDUCATION	0.21	0.15	1.04	0.30
TOTAL	5.88	10.37	24.41	11.12
<u>MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES</u>				
93 HAIR DRESSING, BEAUTY SERVICES	0.55	0.97	1.75	0.96
94 TOILETRIES AND COSMETICS	0.87	1.73	2.81	1.63
95 OTHER MISCELLANEOUS GOODS	1.44	2.25	4.60	2.36
96 HOLIDAYS	3.47	5.06	7.65	4.97
97 MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES	3.45	4.35	5.55	4.25
TOTAL	9.78	14.36	22.37	14.17
TOTAL OF ALL ABOVE EXPENDITURE (I)	75.24	138.23	224.54	132.04
<u>OTHER PAYMENTS (J)</u>				
98 GAMBLING (NET OF WINNINGS)	-0.77	1.23	3.28	0.93
99 INCOME TAX (P)	11.92	26.23	39.53	23.87
100 OTHER TAXES N.E.C.	0.05	0.09	0.18	0.09
101 SUPERANNUATION AND LIFE INSURANCE	2.62	5.79	10.13	5.48
102 CAPITAL HOUSING COSTS (M)	1.88	4.97	7.84	4.46
TOTAL OTHER PAYMENTS	15.72	38.34	61.01	34.86

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TABLE 6.2

## EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITH CHILDREN

## ALL CAPITAL CITIES(b)

## COMPOSITION OF HOUSEHOLDS WITH CHILDREN(d)

ITEM NO. (A)	1 ADULT WITH CHILDREN	2 ADULTS 1 CHILD	2 ADULTS 2 CHILDREN	2 ADULTS 3 OR MORE CHILDREN	3 OR MORE ADULTS WITH CHILDREN	ALL HOUSEHOLDS WITH CHILDREN
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN SAMPLE (B)	306	973	1337	1064	836	4516
ESTIMATED TOTAL NUMBER IN POPULATION						
HOUSEHOLDS ('000)	86.2	276.5	372.1	302.4	244.7	1281.9
PERSONS (C) ('000)	265.3	829.4	1488.4	1669.7	1307.4	5560.2
PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER ('000)	86.2	551.8	744.2	604.8	820.1	2807.0
AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD						
ALL PERSONS	3.08	3.00	4.00	5.52	5.34	4.34
MALES	1.16	1.50	2.04	2.74	2.73	2.16
FEMALES	1.91	1.50	1.96	2.78	2.61	2.17
UNDER 2 YEARS	0.13	0.35	0.29	0.22	0.12	0.24
2 AND UNDER 5 YEARS	0.28	0.22	0.53	0.60	0.18	0.40
5 AND UNDER 18 YEARS	1.67	0.44	1.18	2.70	1.68	1.51
18 AND UNDER 65 YEARS	0.99	1.98	1.99	2.00	3.22	2.16
65 YEARS AND OVER	0.01	0.02	0.01	..	0.14	0.03
PERSONS WORKING (D)	0.79	1.46	1.47	1.55	2.71	1.68
RETIRED PERSONS (E)	0.01	0.02	0.01	..	0.10	0.03
AVERAGE AGE OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD (F) (YRS)	36.54	36.07	36.07	37.85	46.59	38.53
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME (G) (\$)	121.94	204.33	211.49	224.71	336.18	230.85
COMMODITY OR SERVICE						
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)						
1-6 CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (H)	20.96	27.74	26.48	26.56	24.69	26.06
7-10 FUEL AND POWER	3.68	3.69	4.09	4.47	4.96	4.23
11-45 FOOD	25.74	32.18	36.69	42.80	56.44	40.19
11-14 BREAD, CAKES AND CEREALS	3.22	3.39	4.24	5.61	6.15	4.67
15-20 MEAT AND FISH	5.86	7.89	8.76	10.23	13.60	9.65
21-27 DAIRY PRODUCTS, OILS AND FATS	4.19	4.91	5.91	7.27	7.81	6.26
28-35 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	3.73	4.80	5.36	6.25	7.84	5.81
36-45 OTHER FOOD	8.72	11.19	12.41	13.42	21.02	13.78
46-50 ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO	4.34	8.69	9.19	8.83	15.86	9.94
51-60 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	12.06	12.41	13.58	16.28	27.52	16.52
61-69 HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION	11.70	17.10	16.75	16.63	19.09	16.90
70-74 MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)	4.05	6.29	6.76	7.18	9.24	7.05
75-83 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION	18.01	25.78	27.76	27.65	48.72	30.65
84-92 RECREATION AND EDUCATION	8.79	13.11	14.04	18.10	25.52	16.64
93-97 MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	11.93	11.45	13.91	15.11	22.15	15.10
1-97 TOTAL EXPENDITURE (I)	121.29	158.47	169.29	183.63	254.24	183.33
98-102 OTHER PAYMENTS (J)	14.95	41.77	49.91	45.55	59.94	46.69

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TABLE 6.2 (cont.)

## EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITH CHILDREN

## ALL CAPITAL CITIES(b)

ITEM NO. (A)	COMPOSITION OF HOUSEHOLDS WITH CHILDREN(d)					
	1 ADULT WITH CHILDREN	2 ADULTS 1 CHILD	2 ADULTS 2 CHILDREN	2 ADULTS 3 OR MORE CHILDREN	3 OR MORE ADULTS WITH CHILDREN	ALL HOUSEHOLDS WITH CHILDREN
NATURE OF HOUSING OCCUPANCY						
	NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS ('000)					
RENTED	38.2	86.6	75.0	64.6	42.5	306.9
FURNISHED	7.4	21.5	11.9	5.1	6.6	52.5
UNFURNISHED	30.8	65.1	63.1	59.6	35.9	254.4
GOVERNMENT (K)	12.9	9.7	13.8	21.0	13.0	70.5
OTHER LANDLORD	17.9	55.3	49.3	38.6	22.9	183.9
RENT FREE	7.3	4.9	5.9	3.8	2.6	24.5
OWNER OCCUPIED	40.6	185.0	291.3	234.0	199.6	950.5
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE	30.5	145.7	230.6	195.2	133.5	735.4
OWNED OUTRIGHT	10.1	39.3	60.7	38.8	66.1	215.1
TOTAL	86.2	276.5	372.1	302.4	244.7	1281.9
OCCUPANCY / CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (L)						
	AVERAGE WEEKLY EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS IN EACH OCCUPANCY GROUP (\$)					
RENTED-						
1 RENT PAYMENTS	22.23	25.88	26.27	23.73	27.11	25.24
3-5 OTHER HOUSING COSTS	1.12	0.75	0.73	1.23	2.16	1.09
TOTAL	23.35	26.63	27.00	24.96	29.27	26.32
RENTED FURNISHED-						
1 RENT PAYMENTS	26.70	28.23	32.81	28.36	33.84	29.76
3-5 OTHER HOUSING COSTS	0.18	0.86	0.40	0.35	0.24	0.53
TOTAL	26.87	29.09	33.21	28.72	34.08	30.29
RENTED UNFURNISHED-						
1 RENT PAYMENTS	21.16	25.11	25.04	23.33	25.88	24.31
3-5 OTHER HOUSING COSTS	1.34	0.71	0.79	1.31	2.51	1.20
TOTAL	22.50	25.81	25.83	24.64	28.39	25.51
GOVERNMENT (K), UNFURNISHED-						
1 RENT PAYMENTS	12.80	16.27	14.74	15.67	13.66	14.67
3-5 OTHER HOUSING COSTS	3.09	1.36	0.96	1.77	3.89	2.19
TOTAL	15.88	17.63	15.70	17.44	17.55	16.86
OTHER LANDLORD, UNFURNISHED-						
1 RENT PAYMENTS	27.21	26.66	27.92	27.50	32.83	28.00
3-5 OTHER HOUSING COSTS	0.08	0.59	0.74	1.05	1.73	0.82
TOTAL	27.29	27.25	28.67	28.56	34.56	28.82
RENT FREE-						
3-5 ALL HOUSING COSTS	†	†	†	†	†	2.30
OWNER OCCUPIED-						
2 MORTGAGE PAYMENTS (H)	13.96	19.80	17.81	18.08	13.04	17.10
3 RATE PAYMENTS	3.51	3.50	3.47	3.62	3.79	3.58
4 HOUSE INSURANCE	0.72	0.76	0.78	0.78	0.73	0.76
5 REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE	2.21	3.47	3.19	3.39	4.36	3.50
TOTAL	20.40	27.53	25.25	25.87	21.93	24.94
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE-						
2 MORTGAGE PAYMENTS (H)	18.61	25.14	22.50	21.68	19.50	22.10
3 RATE PAYMENTS	3.19	3.43	3.34	3.61	3.72	3.49
4 HOUSE INSURANCE	0.66	0.74	0.78	0.78	0.68	0.75
5 REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE	2.14	3.59	3.04	2.92	3.45	3.15
TOTAL	24.59	32.90	29.65	28.99	27.35	29.49
OWNED OUTRIGHT-						
3 RATE PAYMENTS	4.45	3.79	3.95	3.69	3.94	3.89
4 HOUSE INSURANCE	0.92	0.84	0.81	0.75	0.84	0.82
5 REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE	2.42	3.01	3.76	5.73	6.20	4.67
TOTAL	7.80	7.64	8.52	10.18	10.98	9.38

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TABLE 6.2 (cont.)

## EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS (a) WITH CHILDREN

## ALL CAPITAL CITIES (b)

## COMPOSITION OF HOUSEHOLDS WITH CHILDREN (d)

ITEM NO. (A)	1 ADULT WITH CHILDREN	2 ADULTS 1 CHILD	2 ADULTS 2 CHILDREN	2 ADULTS 3 OR MORE CHILDREN	3 OR MORE ADULTS WITH CHILDREN	ALL HOUSEHOLDS WITH CHILDREN
CURRENT HOUSING COSTS						
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)						
1 RENT PAYMENTS	9.86	8.11	5.29	5.10	4.70	6.05
2 MORTGAGE PAYMENTS (H)	6.58	13.25	13.94	13.99	10.64	12.68
3 RATE PAYMENTS	1.76	2.38	2.75	2.86	3.12	2.70
4 HOUSE INSURANCE	0.35	0.51	0.62	0.60	0.60	0.57
5 REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE	1.75	2.56	2.62	2.84	3.93	2.85
6 HOUSING PAYMENTS FOR OTHER DWELLINGS	0.64	0.93	1.26	1.15	1.70	1.20
TOTAL	20.96	27.74	26.48	26.56	24.69	26.06
FUEL AND POWER						
7 ELECTRICITY	2.23	2.44	2.69	2.84	3.09	2.72
8 GAS	1.11	0.83	0.92	1.05	1.27	1.01
9 LIQUID FUELS	0.31	0.35	0.41	0.54	0.49	0.44
10 OTHER FUELS	0.03	0.06	0.08	0.04	0.11	0.07
TOTAL	3.68	3.69	4.09	4.47	4.96	4.23
FOOD						
11 BREAD	1.47	1.50	1.92	2.60	2.76	2.12
12 FLOUR	0.04	0.06	0.08	0.12	0.13	0.09
13 CAKES, BISCUITS, ETC.	1.28	1.39	1.67	2.04	2.47	1.82
14 BREAKFAST AND OTHER CEREALS	0.43	0.43	0.57	0.85	0.79	0.64
15 BEEF AND VEAL	1.94	2.85	3.18	3.89	5.03	3.54
16 MUTTON AND LAMB	1.01	1.19	1.36	1.56	2.03	1.48
17 POULTRY AND GAME	0.72	0.87	0.96	1.07	1.43	1.04
18 PORK	0.25	0.32	0.37	0.31	0.72	0.40
19 OTHER MEAT AND MEAT UNSPECIFIED	1.53	1.99	2.25	2.65	3.41	2.46
20 FISH AND OTHER SEAFOODS	0.41	0.67	0.64	0.75	0.99	0.72
21 EGGS	0.65	0.71	0.84	1.01	1.14	0.90
22 FRESH MILK AND CREAM	2.11	2.12	2.64	3.39	3.46	2.83
23 CHEESE	0.37	0.59	0.74	0.79	0.95	0.74
24 BUTTER	0.39	0.44	0.52	0.60	0.79	0.57
25 OTHER DAIRY PRODUCTS	0.21	0.39	0.29	0.42	0.34	0.35
26 MARGARINE	0.23	0.28	0.35	0.50	0.48	0.38
27 OILS AND FATS N.E.C.	0.24	0.38	0.52	0.56	0.66	0.51
28 FRESH FRUIT	1.13	1.39	1.60	1.98	2.53	1.79
29 CANNED AND FROZEN FRUIT	0.18	0.23	0.26	0.29	0.34	0.27
30 DRIED FRUITS AND NUTS	0.17	0.24	0.33	0.33	0.44	0.32
31 FRUIT JUICES	0.29	0.40	0.45	0.44	0.57	0.45
32 POTATOES	0.46	0.48	0.59	0.79	0.87	0.66
33 OTHER FRESH VEGETABLES	0.99	1.39	1.43	1.60	2.10	1.56
34 FROZEN VEGETABLES	0.25	0.26	0.32	0.40	0.47	0.35
35 OTHER PROCESSED VEGETABLES	0.26	0.40	0.38	0.41	0.51	0.41
36 SUGAR	0.18	0.18	0.24	0.34	0.36	0.27
37 SYRUPS, HONEY, JAMS, JELLIES, ETC.	0.24	0.20	0.28	0.34	0.37	0.29
38 CONFECTIONERY	0.78	1.00	1.20	1.39	1.94	1.31
39 ICE CONFECTIONERY	0.42	0.47	0.66	0.88	0.87	0.69
40 TEA	0.14	0.18	0.18	0.22	0.31	0.21
41 COFFEE	0.21	0.26	0.29	0.35	0.44	0.32
42 COCOA AND OTHER PROPRIETARY FOOD DRINKS	0.11	0.08	0.12	0.18	0.14	0.13
43 MEALS OUT AND TAKE-AWAY FOODS	3.97	5.82	6.00	5.86	11.26	6.80
44 OTHER FOOD AND FOOD UNDEFINED	1.63	1.47	1.76	2.13	2.64	1.94
45 SOFT DRINKS AND AERATED WATERS	1.04	1.53	1.68	1.73	2.70	1.81
TOTAL	25.74	32.18	36.69	42.80	56.44	40.19
ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO						
46 BEER	0.91	3.37	3.53	3.75	6.36	3.91
47 WINE	0.47	0.78	1.38	0.63	1.05	0.95
48 SPIRITS	0.46	0.72	0.66	0.54	1.36	0.77
49 DRINKS UNDEFINED AND ICE	0.21	0.35	0.36	0.35	0.83	0.43
50 TOBACCO	2.29	3.47	3.26	3.55	6.26	3.88
TOTAL	4.34	8.69	9.19	8.83	15.86	9.94
CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR						
51 MEN'S OUTER CLOTHING	0.49	1.83	1.63	1.81	4.01	2.09
52 MEN'S SHIRTS AND UNDERWEAR	0.23	0.84	0.79	0.84	1.73	0.95
53 WOMEN'S OUTER CLOTHING	4.00	3.38	3.12	2.97	8.04	4.14
54 WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR	0.86	0.87	0.81	0.77	1.86	1.02
55 BOYS' CLOTHING	1.40	0.53	1.34	1.96	1.28	1.30

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TABLE 6.2 (cont.)

## EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITH CHILDREN

## ALL CAPITAL CITIES(b)

ITEM NO. (A)	COMPOSITION OF HOUSEHOLDS WITH CHILDREN(d)					
	1 ADULT WITH CHILDREN	2 ADULTS 1 CHILD	2 ADULTS 2 CHILDREN	2 ADULTS 3 OR MORE CHILDREN	3 OR MORE ADULTS WITH CHILDREN	ALL HOUSEHOLDS WITH CHILDREN
<u>CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR (CONT.)</u>						
56 GIRLS' CLOTHING	1.06	0.44	1.11	1.86	1.20	1.15
57 INFANTS' CLOTHING	0.12	0.50	0.26	0.24	0.31	0.31
58 MISC. CLOTHING AND CLOTHING MATERIALS	1.25	1.53	1.53	2.09	3.07	1.94
59 DRY CLEANING AND CLOTHING SERVICES	0.47	0.55	0.48	0.46	0.96	0.58
60 FOOTWEAR	2.17	1.95	2.52	3.27	5.04	3.03
TOTAL	12.06	12.41	13.58	16.28	27.52	16.52
<u>HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION</u>						
61 FURNITURE	3.61	2.54	2.62	3.23	2.22	2.74
62 FLOOR COVERINGS	0.27	1.60	1.24	0.99	0.86	1.12
63 TEXTILES, OTHER HOUSEHOLD FURNISHINGS	1.53	1.98	1.95	2.37	3.31	2.29
64 HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES	1.02	4.67	4.33	3.06	4.25	3.86
65 KITCHEN TABLEWARE AND OTHER UTENSILS	1.04	1.29	1.33	1.40	2.35	1.51
66 TOOLS	0.28	0.72	0.85	1.13	1.16	0.91
67 HOUSEHOLD NON-DURABLES	1.85	2.59	2.76	3.21	3.63	2.94
68 HOUSEHOLD AND DOMESTIC SERVICES	1.98	1.50	1.43	1.01	0.97	1.30
69 INSURANCE OF CONTENTS OF DWELLING	0.12	0.21	0.23	0.23	0.24	0.22
TOTAL	11.70	17.10	16.75	16.63	19.09	16.90
<u>MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)</u>						
70 MEDICINES, PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS, ETC	1.04	1.27	1.47	1.51	1.68	1.45
71 DOCTORS' FEES	0.31	0.57	0.71	0.78	0.79	0.69
72 HOSPITAL AND AMBULANCE CHARGES	0.22	0.28	0.23	0.39	0.37	0.30
73 OTHER HEALTH PRACTITIONERS' CHARGES	0.75	1.05	1.15	1.37	2.02	1.32
74 ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE	1.73	3.12	3.18	3.13	4.38	3.29
TOTAL	4.05	6.29	6.76	7.18	9.24	7.05
<u>TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION</u>						
75 PURCHASE OF CAR (NET) (M)	5.09	7.12	8.12	6.69	15.18	8.71
76 PURCHASE OF OTHER VEHICLE (NET) (M)	0.23	0.42	0.58	0.77	1.09	0.66
77 PETROL AND OTHER MOTOR VEHICLE FUELS	2.28	5.11	5.24	5.80	8.86	5.83
78 VEHICLE REGISTRATION AND INSURANCE	1.53	2.78	2.99	3.07	4.90	3.23
79 OTHER RUNNING EXPENSES OF VEHICLES	3.75	6.55	7.01	7.19	10.77	7.45
80 RAIL FARES	0.65	0.47	0.52	0.57	1.50	0.72
81 BUS AND TRAM FARES	0.89	0.73	0.65	0.85	1.89	0.97
82 OTHER PUBLIC TRANSPORT AND FREIGHT	1.69	0.72	0.67	0.74	2.00	1.02
83 POSTAL AND TELEPHONE CHARGES	1.89	1.89	1.98	1.96	2.51	2.05
TOTAL	18.01	25.78	27.76	27.65	48.72	30.65
<u>RECREATION AND EDUCATION</u>						
84 TELEVISION, RADIO, RECORD PLAYERS, ETC.	0.53	2.38	1.69	4.02	2.75	2.51
85 HIRE OF TELEVISION	0.14	0.20	0.18	0.18	0.11	0.17
86 RADIO/T.V. LICENCE (N)	0.19	0.21	0.25	0.25	0.29	0.24
87 PHOTOGRAPHIC AND OPTICAL GOODS	0.50	0.84	0.89	0.57	1.07	0.81
88 HOBBIES, SPORTS EQUIPMENT & ACCESSORIES	1.88	2.89	3.33	3.60	6.49	3.80
89 PETS, PET FOOD, ETC.	0.93	1.23	1.43	1.68	1.95	1.51
90 ENTERTAINMENT AND RECREATIONAL SERVICES	1.95	2.65	2.83	2.83	6.79	3.49
91 BOOKS, NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES	1.26	1.60	1.78	2.30	3.10	2.08
92 EDUCATION	1.41	1.11	1.66	2.65	2.96	2.01
TOTAL	8.79	13.11	14.04	18.10	25.52	16.64
<u>MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES</u>						
93 HAIR DRESSING, BEAUTY SERVICES	0.76	0.68	0.80	0.70	1.25	0.83
94 TOILETRIES AND COSMETICS	1.47	1.91	1.83	1.92	3.27	2.12
95 OTHER MISCELLANEOUS GOODS	2.10	2.33	2.54	3.01	5.05	3.06
96 HOLIDAYS	3.40	2.70	4.47	4.25	5.88	4.23
97 MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES	4.19	3.83	4.25	5.21	6.69	4.85
TOTAL	11.93	11.45	13.91	15.11	22.15	15.10
TOTAL OF ALL ABOVE EXPENDITURE (I)	121.29	158.47	169.29	183.63	254.24	183.33
<u>OTHER PAYMENTS (J)</u>						
98 GAMBLING (NET OF WINNINGS)	-0.84	1.45	0.80	1.46	3.36	1.47
99 INCOME TAX (P)	10.33	27.59	30.18	29.41	39.96	29.97
100 OTHER TAXES N.E.C.	0.23	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.06	0.06
101 SUPERANNUATION AND LIFE INSURANCE	2.51	6.82	7.77	7.74	9.49	7.53
102 CAPITAL HOUSING COSTS (M)	2.69	5.83	11.12	6.85	7.01	7.62
TOTAL OTHER PAYMENTS	14.95	41.77	49.91	45.55	59.94	46.69



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TABLE 6.3 EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITH ONE ADULT AND NO CHILDREN(c) BY HOUSEHOLD INCOME(e)  
ALL CAPITAL CITIES(b)

ITEM NO. (A)	WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME						
	UNDER \$80	\$80 AND UNDER \$140	\$140 AND UNDER \$200	\$200 AND UNDER \$260	\$260 AND UNDER \$340	\$340 OR MORE	ALL HOUSE- HOLDS
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN SAMPLE (B)	704	393	195	62	33	20	1407
ESTIMATED TOTAL NUMBER IN POPULATION							
HOUSEHOLDS ('000)	207.1	113.9	59.4	16.6	9.7	6.5	413.2
PERSONS (C) ('000)	207.1	113.9	59.4	16.6	9.7	6.5	413.2
PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER ('000)	206.3	113.9	59.4	16.6	9.7	6.5	412.5
AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD							
ALL PERSONS	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
MALES	0.23	0.46	0.69	0.77	0.66	0.78	0.40
FEMALES	0.77	0.54	0.31	0.23	0.34	0.22	0.60
5 AND UNDER 18 YEARS	0.00	..	..	..	..	..	0.00
18 AND UNDER 65 YEARS	0.35	0.87	0.95	0.96	0.95	1.00	0.63
65 YEARS AND OVER	0.65	0.13	0.05	0.04	0.05	..	0.37
PERSONS WORKING (D)	0.10	0.87	0.92	0.98	0.95	0.95	0.50
RETIRED PERSONS (E)	0.25	0.07	0.05	0.02	..	..	0.15
AVERAGE AGE OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD (F) (YRS)	66.14	44.79	40.11	40.55	42.78	42.45	54.56
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME (G) (\$)	40.03	111.60	164.45	225.35	294.71	487.78	98.13
COMMODITY OR SERVICE							
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)							
1-6 CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (H)	7.84	16.97	22.98	23.44	39.96	23.14	14.15
7-10 FUEL AND POWER	1.95	2.04	2.19	2.52	2.88	3.14	2.07
11-45 FOOD	10.78	15.66	18.27	19.04	24.08	39.46	14.30
11-14 BREAD, CAKES AND CEREALS	1.42	1.44	1.38	1.13	1.16	1.50	1.40
15-20 MEAT AND FISH	2.87	3.38	3.40	3.46	3.35	4.55	3.15
21-27 DAIRY PRODUCTS, OILS AND FATS	1.85	1.76	1.87	1.62	1.66	1.86	1.82
28-35 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	1.81	2.16	2.05	2.14	2.06	2.09	1.97
36-45 OTHER FOOD	2.81	6.90	9.56	10.68	15.84	29.46	5.95
46-50 ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO	2.03	5.81	8.39	8.56	7.12	12.73	4.54
51-60 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	4.16	6.93	8.67	8.12	6.36	15.35	5.96
61-69 HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION	3.72	5.95	9.47	15.26	16.23	7.86	5.98
70-74 MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)	1.55	3.08	3.05	4.23	3.30	7.04	2.42
75-83 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION	4.39	13.70	15.57	22.18	22.56	30.83	10.12
84-92 RECREATION AND EDUCATION	2.17	6.71	9.75	21.11	17.55	17.64	5.88
93-97 MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	4.72	10.81	17.38	24.58	17.02	34.98	9.78
1-97 TOTAL EXPENDITURE (I)	43.34	87.70	115.75	149.09	157.08	192.23	75.24
98-102 OTHER PAYMENTS (J)	3.19	17.59	31.74	73.47	84.92	-14.88*	15.72
NATURE OF HOUSING OCCUPANCY							
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS ('000)							
RENTED (INCLUDING RENT FREE)	79.3	67.4	33.1	8.0	3.7	2.0	193.5
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE	14.0	14.6	14.1	4.1	3.0	1.2	50.8
OWNED OUTRIGHT	113.8	31.9	12.3	4.5	3.1	3.3	168.9
TOTAL	207.1	113.9	59.4	16.6	9.7	6.5	413.2

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TABLE 6.4 EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITH TWO ADULTS AND NO CHILDREN(c) BY HOUSEHOLD INCOME(e)

## ALL CAPITAL CITIES(b)

ITEM NO. (A)	WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME						
	UNDER \$80	\$80 AND UNDER \$140	\$140 AND UNDER \$200	\$200 AND UNDER \$260	\$260 AND UNDER \$340	\$340 OR MORE	ALL HOUSE- HOLDS
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN SAMPLE (B)	433	436	499	535	373	198	2474
ESTIMATED TOTAL NUMBER IN POPULATION							
HOUSEHOLDS ('000)	132.5	127.9	146.9	159.6	107.9	60.3	735.1
PERSONS (C) ('000)	265.1	255.7	293.8	319.1	215.9	120.5	1470.1
PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER ('000)	265.1	255.5	293.3	318.9	215.5	120.5	1468.8
AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD							
ALL PERSONS	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
MALES	0.94	0.92	0.93	0.97	1.01	1.14	0.97
FEMALES	1.06	1.08	1.07	1.03	0.99	0.86	1.03
5 AND UNDER 18 YEARS	..	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	..	0.00
18 AND UNDER 65 YEARS	0.62	1.43	1.79	1.91	1.95	1.90	1.57
65 YEARS AND OVER	1.38	0.57	0.21	0.09	0.05	0.10	0.42
PERSONS WORKING (D)	0.13	0.85	1.32	1.79	1.88	1.82	1.25
RETIRED PERSONS (E)	0.86	0.27	0.08	0.03	0.02	0.01	0.23
AVERAGE AGE OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD (F) (YRS)	68.34	56.73	48.02	38.67	34.79	41.10	48.66
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME (G) (\$)	57.91	112.04	169.04	228.94	290.39	462.21	193.95
COMMODITY OR SERVICE							
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)							
1-6 CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (H)	9.06	15.78	18.75	26.57	31.66	43.55	22.11
7-10 FUEL AND POWER	2.73	3.03	3.08	3.08	3.17	3.58	3.06
11-45 FOOD	18.85	23.31	25.67	27.06	29.27	34.79	25.61
11-14 BREAD, CAKES AND CEREALS	2.56	2.77	2.87	2.42	2.40	2.38	2.59
15-20 MEAT AND FISH	5.92	6.63	7.18	6.66	6.48	7.61	6.68
21-27 DAIRY PRODUCTS, OILS AND FATS	3.23	3.56	3.46	3.16	3.06	3.36	3.30
28-35 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	3.16	3.88	4.02	3.86	4.00	4.94	3.88
36-45 OTHER FOOD	3.97	6.46	8.12	10.94	13.32	16.49	9.15
46-50 ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO	3.92	7.14	8.92	10.23	12.37	13.35	8.87
51-60 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	5.37	8.22	10.71	12.69	14.62	28.15	11.75
61-69 HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION	6.56	12.35	14.35	13.42	19.49	34.89	14.83
70-74 MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)	2.10	5.10	5.49	5.88	5.81	6.95	5.06
75-83 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION	9.47	16.27	22.68	28.00	30.95	30.33	22.18
84-92 RECREATION AND EDUCATION	3.65	6.18	9.97	10.60	15.64	24.93	10.37
93-97 MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	5.83	9.52	15.82	15.20	20.28	26.98	14.36
1-97 TOTAL EXPENDITURE (I)	67.57	106.94	135.47	152.78	183.29	247.54	138.23
98-102 OTHER PAYMENTS (J)	-7.53	21.85	27.04	49.28	68.41	118.91	38.34
NATURE OF HOUSING OCCUPANCY							
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS ('000)							
RENTED (INCLUDING RENT FREE)	24.7	34.3	52.6	65.5	47.7	13.3	238.1
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE	11.1	29.6	41.7	60.2	47.0	35.0	224.6
OWNED OUTRIGHT	96.7	64.0	52.6	33.9	13.2	12.0	272.4
TOTAL	132.5	127.9	146.9	159.6	107.9	60.3	735.1

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TABLE 6.5 EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITH THREE OR MORE ADULTS AND NO CHILDREN(c) BY HOUSEHOLD INCOME(e)  
ALL CAPITAL CITIES(b)

ITEM NO. (A)	WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME					
	UNDER \$140	\$140 AND UNDER \$200	\$200 AND UNDER \$260	\$260 AND UNDER \$340	\$340 OR MORE	ALL HOUSE- HOLDS
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN SAMPLE (B)	61	105	122	174	236	698
ESTIMATED TOTAL NUMBER IN POPULATION						
HOUSEHOLDS ('000)	18.1	30.4	34.8	50.7	70.5	204.5
PERSONS (C) ('000)	56.9	94.8	109.5	167.3	250.4	678.9
PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER ('000)	56.9	94.8	109.5	166.9	250.4	678.5
AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD						
ALL PERSONS	3.14	3.11	3.15	3.30	3.55	3.32
MALES	1.58	1.51	1.73	1.69	2.03	1.78
FEMALES	1.57	1.60	1.42	1.60	1.52	1.54
5 AND UNDER 18 YEARS	..	..	..	0.01	..	0.00
18 AND UNDER 65 YEARS	2.24	2.44	2.79	3.06	3.36	2.96
65 YEARS AND OVER	0.90	0.67	0.36	0.23	0.19	0.36
PERSONS WORKING (D)	0.84	1.32	1.99	2.46	2.99	2.25
RETIRED PERSONS (E)	0.66	0.43	0.21	0.16	0.10	0.23
AVERAGE AGE OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD (F) (YRS)	60.11	57.95	53.68	51.66	48.96	52.76
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME (G) (\$)	109.27	169.97	229.63	302.30	468.83	310.52
COMMODITY OR SERVICE						
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)						
1-6 CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (H)	10.96	14.47	18.71	20.34	28.36	21.12
7-10 FUEL AND POWER	3.35	3.82	3.50	4.05	4.13	3.89
11-45 FOOD	34.46	35.58	39.66	43.88	53.16	44.29
11-14 BREAD, CAKES AND CEREALS	4.03	3.76	3.88	4.00	4.44	4.10
15-20 MEAT AND FISH	9.92	9.29	10.68	11.06	11.91	10.92
21-27 DAIRY PRODUCTS, OILS AND FATS	4.59	5.43	5.54	5.53	5.55	5.44
28-35 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	4.84	5.12	5.77	6.01	6.91	6.05
36-45 OTHER FOOD	11.06	11.96	13.76	17.27	24.34	17.77
46-50 ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO	8.38	9.21	15.37	12.90	22.86	15.80
51-60 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	13.55	14.71	14.87	20.28	30.10	21.32
61-69 HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION	8.76	9.43	11.46	21.60	22.83	17.35
70-74 MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)	3.49	6.20	7.51	7.65	10.21	7.92
75-83 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION	27.90	27.38	39.51	48.93	59.88	46.03
84-92 RECREATION AND EDUCATION	12.18	14.70	20.62	21.74	35.53	24.41
93-97 MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	8.41	13.47	17.35	22.78	31.99	22.37
1-97 TOTAL EXPENDITURE (I)	131.48	149.00	188.59	224.18	299.10	224.54
98-102 OTHER PAYMENTS (J)	14.00	18.08	50.20	52.07	103.41	61.01
NATURE OF HOUSING OCCUPANCY						
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS ('000)						
RENTED (INCLUDING RENT FREE)	4.5	7.0	6.5	10.3	18.6	47.0
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE	2.5	8.1	9.3	14.5	27.9	62.3
OWNED OUTRIGHT	11.1	15.4	19.0	25.9	24.0	95.3
TOTAL	18.1	30.4	34.8	50.7	70.5	204.5

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TABLE 6.6 EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITH ONE ADULT AND CHILDREN(d) BY HOUSEHOLD INCOME(e)

## ALL CAPITAL CITIES(b)

ITEM NO. (A)	WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME				
	UNDER \$80	\$80 AND UNDER \$140	\$140 AND UNDER \$200	\$200 OR MORE	ALL HOUSE- HOLDS
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN SAMPLE (B)	99	121	60	26	306
ESTIMATED TOTAL NUMBER IN POPULATION					
HOUSEHOLDS ('000)	25.5	34.4	18.7	7.6	86.2
PERSONS (C) ('000)	71.6	111.0	56.9	25.7	265.3
PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER ('000)	25.5	34.4	18.7	7.6	86.2
AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD					
ALL PERSONS	2.81	3.23	3.04	3.38	3.08
MALES	0.93	1.10	1.23	2.08	1.16
FEMALES	1.87	2.13	1.81	1.31	1.91
UNDER 2 YEARS	0.26	0.08	0.07	..	0.13
2 AND UNDER 5 YEARS	0.36	0.28	0.20	0.20	0.28
5 AND UNDER 18 YEARS	1.18	1.87	1.77	2.18	1.67
18 AND UNDER 65 YEARS	0.99	0.99	0.99	1.00	0.99
65 YEARS AND OVER	0.01	0.01	0.01	..	0.01
PERSONS WORKING (D)	0.22	0.82	1.38	1.13	0.79
RETIRED PERSONS (E)	..	0.01	..	..	0.01
AVERAGE AGE OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD (F) (YRS)	35.46	35.33	38.82	40.01	36.54
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME (G) (\$)	52.91	107.59	170.28	299.41	121.94
COMMODITY OR SERVICE					
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)					
1-6 CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (H)	16.84	20.45	23.41	31.01	20.96
7-10 FUEL AND POWER	3.13	3.31	4.97	3.94	3.68
11-45 FOOD	19.76	24.92	31.33	35.73	25.74
11-14 BREAD, CAKES AND CEREALS	2.53	3.38	3.52	4.11	3.22
15-20 MEAT AND FISH	4.78	5.87	6.73	7.30	5.86
21-27 DAIRY PRODUCTS, OILS AND FATS	3.92	4.25	4.28	4.57	4.19
28-35 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	3.29	3.55	4.56	4.01	3.73
36-45 OTHER FOOD	5.23	7.86	12.22	15.73	8.72
46-50 ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO	3.17	4.06	5.19	7.49	4.34
51-60 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	6.58	11.61	19.31	14.69	12.06
61-69 HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION	16.96	8.27	10.53	12.46	11.70
70-74 MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)	3.13	3.15	6.37	5.50	4.05
75-83 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION	10.32	12.84	28.83	40.55	18.01
84-92 RECREATION AND EDUCATION	5.39	8.36	11.05	16.59	8.79
93-97 MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	5.18	10.43	12.43	40.08	11.93
1-97 TOTAL EXPENDITURE (I)	90.50	107.42	153.46	208.08	121.29
98-102 OTHER PAYMENTS (J)	2.90	8.40	26.48	56.57	14.95
NATURE OF HOUSING OCCUPANCY					
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS ('000)					
RENTED (INCLUDING RENT FREE)	16.1	18.5	7.9	2.9	45.5
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE	6.6	12.1	7.9	3.8	30.5
OWNED OUTRIGHT	2.7	3.7	2.9	0.9	10.1
TOTAL	25.5	34.4	18.7	7.6	86.2

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TABLE 6.7 EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITH TWO ADULTS AND ONE CHILD(d) BY HOUSEHOLD INCOME(e)

## ALL CAPITAL CITIES(b)

ITEM NO. (A)	WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME						ALL HOUSE- HOLDS
	UNDER \$80	\$80 AND UNDER \$140	\$140 AND UNDER \$200	\$200 AND UNDER \$260	\$260 AND UNDER \$340	\$340 OR MORE	
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN SAMPLE (B)	32	182	308	247	133	71	973
ESTIMATED TOTAL NUMBER IN POPULATION							
HOUSEHOLDS ('000)	8.7	52.5	88.0	70.9	36.8	19.5	276.5
PERSONS (C) ('000)	26.2	157.4	264.1	212.8	110.4	58.5	829.4
PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER ('000)	17.5	104.7	175.8	141.2	73.6	39.0	551.8
AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD							
ALL PERSONS	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
MALES	1.57	1.48	1.54	1.47	1.51	1.40	1.50
FEMALES	1.43	1.52	1.46	1.53	1.49	1.60	1.50
UNDER 2 YEARS	0.36	0.48	0.40	0.30	0.21	0.17	0.35
2 AND UNDER 5 YEARS	0.17	0.22	0.24	0.20	0.21	0.21	0.22
5 AND UNDER 18 YEARS	0.47	0.30	0.37	0.50	0.58	0.62	0.44
18 AND UNDER 65 YEARS	1.88	1.96	1.98	1.99	2.00	1.98	1.98
65 YEARS AND OVER	0.12	0.03	0.02	..	..	0.02	0.02
PERSONS WORKING (D)	0.73	1.10	1.24	1.72	1.90	1.94	1.46
RETIRED PERSONS (E)	0.17	0.04	0.02	..	..	..	0.02
AVERAGE AGE OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD (F) (YRS)	40.28	33.48	35.25	36.21	37.45	41.73	36.07
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME (G) (\$)	50.99	120.35	167.03	227.81	285.24	428.97	204.33
COMMODITY OR SERVICE							
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)							
1-6 CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (H)	24.80	22.73	26.50	29.48	31.79	34.16	27.74
7-10 FUEL AND POWER	4.94	3.15	3.47	3.57	4.35	4.68	3.69
11-45 FOOD	27.87	28.59	30.11	33.64	35.20	42.19	32.18
11-14 BREAD, CAKES AND CEREALS	3.60	3.40	3.27	3.44	3.52	3.32	3.39
15-20 MEAT AND FISH	5.74	6.45	7.89	8.56	7.98	10.08	7.89
21-27 DAIRY PRODUCTS, OILS AND FATS	5.29	5.20	4.82	4.77	4.75	5.15	4.91
28-35 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	5.06	4.49	4.34	5.23	4.74	6.11	4.80
36-45 OTHER FOOD	8.16	9.03	9.76	11.62	14.20	17.50	11.19
46-50 ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO	5.83	6.48	8.03	10.19	10.96	9.13	8.69
51-60 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	9.06	8.72	9.89	13.22	17.50	22.63	12.41
61-69 HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION	12.54	12.43	15.98	17.96	17.92	32.01	17.10
70-74 MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)	4.81	6.31	6.10	5.81	7.34	7.48	6.29
75-83 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION	16.37	20.55	23.55	28.70	28.49	38.42	25.78
84-92 RECREATION AND EDUCATION	9.06	12.53	10.59	12.30	17.37	22.81	13.11
93-97 MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	9.75	6.76	7.79	10.97	17.20	32.19	11.45
1-97 TOTAL EXPENDITURE (I)	125.06	128.29	142.04	165.87	188.16	245.73	158.47
98-102 OTHER PAYMENTS (J)	9.29	22.71	35.64	38.12	61.80	110.67	41.77
NATURE OF HOUSING OCCUPANCY							
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS ('000)							
RENTED (INCLUDING RENT FREE)	2.4	24.6	24.2	26.3	10.8	3.2	91.5
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE	3.8	21.7	50.6	36.4	20.6	12.6	145.7
OWNED OUTRIGHT	2.6	6.1	13.2	8.2	5.5	3.7	39.3
TOTAL	8.7	52.5	88.0	70.9	36.8	19.5	276.5

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TABLE 6.8 EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITH TWO ADULTS AND TWO CHILDREN(d) BY HOUSEHOLD INCOME(e)

## ALL CAPITAL CITIES(b)

ITEM NO. (A)	WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME						
	UNDER \$80	\$80 AND UNDER \$140	\$140 AND UNDER \$200	\$200 AND UNDER \$260	\$260 AND UNDER \$340	\$340 OR MORE	ALL HOUSE- HOLDS
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN SAMPLE (B)	33	233	411	357	190	113	1337
ESTIMATED TOTAL NUMBER IN POPULATION							
HOUSEHOLDS ('000)	11.0	63.2	117.1	101.9	50.7	28.1	372.1
PERSONS (C) ('000)	44.1	252.9	468.5	407.7	202.7	112.5	1488.4
PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER ('000)	22.0	126.5	234.2	203.9	101.4	56.3	744.2
AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD							
ALL PERSONS	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00
MALES	1.95	2.01	2.01	2.06	2.10	2.10	2.04
FEMALES	2.05	1.99	1.99	1.94	1.90	1.90	1.96
UNDER 2 YEARS	0.16	0.45	0.36	0.24	0.13	0.15	0.29
2 AND UNDER 5 YEARS	0.61	0.60	0.63	0.50	0.38	0.32	0.53
5 AND UNDER 18 YEARS	1.23	0.96	1.01	1.26	1.49	1.53	1.18
18 AND UNDER 65 YEARS	1.88	1.99	1.99	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.99
65 YEARS AND OVER	0.12	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00	..	0.01
PERSONS WORKING (D)	0.69	1.09	1.31	1.65	1.88	1.91	1.47
RETIRED PERSONS (E)	0.13	0.00	0.00	..	..	..	0.01
AVERAGE AGE OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD (F) (YRS)	41.08	33.84	34.98	35.78	38.66	40.07	36.07
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME (G) (\$)	39.54	117.72	170.19	226.71	294.21	457.49	211.49
COMMODITY OR SERVICE							
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)							
1-6 CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (H)	16.46	21.36	25.67	27.24	28.07	39.70	26.48
7-10 FUEL AND POWER	3.45	3.72	3.59	3.97	5.08	5.91	4.09
11-45 FOOD	37.18	32.74	33.79	36.88	41.14	48.79	36.69
11-14 BREAD, CAKES AND CEREALS	4.28	4.01	4.13	4.31	4.40	4.64	4.24
15-20 MEAT AND FISH	8.82	8.07	8.22	8.55	10.28	10.62	8.76
21-27 DAIRY PRODUCTS, OILS AND FATS	7.37	5.56	6.02	5.86	5.71	6.27	5.91
28-35 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	6.20	4.83	4.72	5.72	5.96	6.48	5.36
36-45 OTHER FOOD	10.48	10.25	10.69	12.43	14.78	20.77	12.41
46-50 ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO	8.37	7.06	7.50	8.96	11.08	18.71	9.19
51-60 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	7.06	9.57	11.27	14.86	17.86	22.49	13.58
61-69 HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION	10.57	14.17	15.90	15.53	20.67	25.86	16.75
70-74 MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)	6.51	5.60	6.31	6.97	7.92	8.43	6.76
75-83 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION	21.95	24.87	25.50	30.10	29.62	34.16	27.76
84-92 RECREATION AND EDUCATION	7.78	11.21	10.66	13.51	19.80	28.47	14.04
93-97 MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	5.76	8.78	9.54	14.41	18.63	36.56	13.91
1-97 TOTAL EXPENDITURE (I)	125.12	139.13	149.77	172.45	199.91	269.12	169.29
98-102 OTHER PAYMENTS (J)	2.37	25.32	42.60	43.43	72.59	136.92	49.91
NATURE OF HOUSING OCCUPANCY							
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS ('000)							
RENTED (INCLUDING RENT FREE)	4.5	19.9	25.9	19.8	7.0	3.7	80.8
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE	2.5	32.3	74.5	68.3	34.3	18.6	230.6
OWNED OUTRIGHT	4.0	11.0	16.7	13.8	9.4	5.8	60.7
TOTAL	11.0	63.2	117.1	101.9	50.7	28.1	372.1

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TABLE 6.9 EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS (a) WITH TWO ADULTS AND THREE CHILDREN (d) BY HOUSEHOLD INCOME (e)

## ALL CAPITAL CITIES (b)

ITEM NO. (A)	WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME						
	UNDER \$80	\$80 AND UNDER \$140	\$140 AND UNDER \$200	\$200 AND UNDER \$260	\$260 AND UNDER \$340	\$340 OR MORE	ALL HOUSEHOLDS
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN SAMPLE (B)	24	97	211	177	112	60	681
ESTIMATED TOTAL NUMBER IN POPULATION							
HOUSEHOLDS ('000)	6.8	27.3	61.6	52.7	32.1	18.0	198.4
PERSONS (C) ('000)	33.9	136.3	308.0	263.4	160.6	89.8	991.9
PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER ('000)	13.6	54.5	123.2	105.4	64.2	35.9	396.8
AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD							
ALL PERSONS	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
MALES	2.33	2.57	2.52	2.35	2.55	2.51	2.48
FEMALES	2.67	2.43	2.48	2.65	2.45	2.49	2.52
UNDER 2 YEARS	0.49	0.39	0.34	0.15	0.11	0.03	0.24
2 AND UNDER 5 YEARS	0.60	0.71	0.66	0.58	0.41	0.42	0.58
5 AND UNDER 18 YEARS	1.91	1.90	2.00	2.27	2.47	2.55	2.18
18 AND UNDER 65 YEARS	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
PERSONS WORKING (D)	0.98	1.15	1.33	1.68	1.83	1.88	1.52
AVERAGE AGE OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD (F) (YRS)	38.95	35.25	35.42	38.23	38.33	39.78	37.13
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME (G) (\$)	48.91	118.46	168.94	228.07	294.19	441.64	218.58
COMMODITY OR SERVICE							
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)							
1-6 CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (H)	27.04	23.54	23.18	25.81	29.81	33.93	26.11
7-10 FUEL AND POWER	3.85	4.14	4.13	4.13	5.44	5.59	4.47
11-45 FOOD	36.38	37.91	38.88	40.80	42.77	49.47	40.76
11-14 BREAD, CAKES AND CEREALS	4.53	4.89	5.35	5.32	5.13	5.18	5.20
15-20 MEAT AND FISH	8.98	10.14	9.56	10.14	9.24	10.89	9.84
21-27 DAIRY PRODUCTS, OILS AND FATS	7.49	6.86	6.55	7.01	6.92	6.50	6.80
28-35 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	5.09	5.70	5.71	6.13	6.56	7.60	6.11
36-45 OTHER FOOD	10.27	10.30	11.69	12.19	14.90	19.29	12.79
46-50 ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO	8.79	7.69	8.58	7.98	8.56	9.56	8.39
51-60 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	11.38	10.75	12.67	16.80	17.91	25.63	15.48
61-69 HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION	12.72	8.54	12.92	19.27	16.39	36.52	16.70
70-74 MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)	7.72	6.45	6.66	7.20	8.40	8.34	7.24
75-83 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION	17.21	24.10	23.40	27.57	32.61	34.94	26.93
84-92 RECREATION AND EDUCATION	9.84	8.19	13.00	12.80	25.34	59.76	18.41
93-97 MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	5.21	9.67	10.61	14.88	18.73	37.68	15.20
1-97 TOTAL EXPENDITURE (I)	140.19	141.01	154.07	177.28	205.98	301.46	179.72
98-102 OTHER PAYMENTS (J)	19.96	24.81	28.63	45.41	50.56	137.99	45.72
NATURE OF HOUSING OCCUPANCY							
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS ('000)							
RENTED (INCLUDING RENT FREE)	2.2	8.4	12.6	6.9	5.3	1.3	36.7
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE	4.2	15.0	43.8	36.7	22.2	12.1	134.0
OWNED OUTRIGHT	0.4	3.9	5.2	9.1	4.7	4.5	27.8
TOTAL	6.8	27.3	61.6	52.7	32.1	18.0	198.4

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TABLE 6.10 EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITH TWO ADULTS AND FOUR OR MORE CHILDREN(d) BY HOUSEHOLD INCOME(e)

## ALL CAPITAL CITIES(b)

ITEM NO. (A)	WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME					
	UNDER \$140	\$140 AND UNDER \$200	\$200 AND UNDER \$260	\$260 AND UNDER \$340	\$340 OR MORE	ALL HOUSE- HOLDS
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN SAMPLE (B)	60	122	89	69	43	383
ESTIMATED TOTAL NUMBER IN POPULATION						
HOUSEHOLDS ('000)	16.6	32.5	23.6	19.2	12.1	104.0
PERSONS (C) ('000)	108.2	216.9	148.7	122.9	81.1	677.7
PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER ('000)	33.2	65.0	47.2	38.5	24.1	208.0
AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD						
ALL PERSONS	6.51	6.67	6.30	6.39	6.72	6.52
MALES	3.16	3.27	3.26	3.25	3.23	3.24
FEMALES	3.36	3.40	3.04	3.14	3.49	3.27
UNDER 2 YEARS	0.20	0.24	0.18	0.15	0.06	0.18
2 AND UNDER 5 YEARS	0.94	0.83	0.46	0.32	0.49	0.63
5 AND UNDER 18 YEARS	3.38	3.60	3.66	3.92	4.17	3.70
18 AND UNDER 65 YEARS	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
PERSONS WORKING (D)	1.31	1.42	1.69	1.94	1.95	1.62
AVERAGE AGE OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD (F) (YRS)	39.26	38.21	38.58	40.55	40.99	39.22
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME (G) (\$)	110.31	167.99	228.48	294.31	517.63	236.41
COMMODITY OR SERVICE						
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)						
1-6 CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (H)	18.50	24.82	27.95	29.10	43.03	27.42
7-10 FUEL AND POWER	3.59	4.26	4.43	4.99	5.65	4.49
11-45 FOOD	40.77	43.12	46.24	48.01	63.19	46.68
11-14 BREAD, CAKES AND CEREALS	6.45	6.62	5.85	6.22	7.03	6.39
15-20 MEAT AND FISH	9.87	9.57	11.74	10.81	14.98	10.97
21-27 DAIRY PRODUCTS, OILS AND FATS	8.07	8.30	7.74	7.93	9.20	8.17
28-35 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	5.88	6.29	5.73	6.77	9.04	6.51
36-45 OTHER FOOD	10.48	12.32	15.16	16.27	22.93	14.63
46-50 ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO	8.90	7.24	8.68	12.14	15.20	9.66
51-60 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	8.61	15.53	17.25	18.20	36.94	17.79
61-69 HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION	9.74	11.03	11.57	18.57	46.95	16.51
70-74 MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)	5.12	6.34	7.32	7.05	11.08	7.05
75-83 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION	20.65	19.82	30.24	43.03	40.55	29.01
84-92 RECREATION AND EDUCATION	10.04	13.65	17.41	21.40	32.24	17.52
93-97 MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	7.52	11.28	17.70	16.07	27.82	14.94
1-97 TOTAL EXPENDITURE (I)	133.48	157.12	188.81	218.60	322.68	191.10
98-102 OTHER PAYMENTS (J)	12.88	25.60	42.85	49.26	141.05	45.24
NATURE OF HOUSING OCCUPANCY						
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS ('000)						
RENTED (INCLUDING RENT FREE)	6.3	11.8	6.2	5.0	2.6	31.8
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE	6.9	17.2	15.6	12.9	8.5	61.2
OWNED OUTRIGHT	3.4	3.5	1.8	1.3	1.0	11.0
TOTAL	16.6	32.5	23.6	19.2	12.1	104.0

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TABLE 6.11 EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITH THREE OR MORE ADULTS AND CHILDREN(d) BY HOUSEHOLD INCOME(e)

## ALL CAPITAL CITIES(b)

ITEM NO. (A)	WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME					ALL HOUSE- HOLDS
	UNDER \$200	\$200 AND UNDER \$260	\$260 AND UNDER \$340	\$340 OR MORE		
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN SAMPLE (B)	98	155	231	352		836
ESTIMATED TOTAL NUMBER IN POPULATION						
HOUSEHOLDS ('000)	26.8	46.3	68.9	102.7		244.7
PERSONS (C) ('000)	137.7	242.2	354.8	572.7		1307.4
PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER ('000)	82.5	148.9	222.4	366.3		820.1
AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD						
ALL PERSONS	5.13	5.23	5.15	5.58		5.34
MALES	2.46	2.61	2.71	2.87		2.73
FEMALES	2.67	2.61	2.44	2.71		2.61
UNDER 2 YEARS	0.13	0.19	0.11	0.10		0.12
2 AND UNDER 5 YEARS	0.24	0.25	0.18	0.14		0.18
5 AND UNDER 18 YEARS	1.69	1.57	1.63	1.77		1.68
18 AND UNDER 65 YEARS	2.85	2.99	3.11	3.48		3.22
65 YEARS AND OVER	0.22	0.22	0.12	0.09		0.14
PERSONS WORKING (D)	1.61	2.13	2.64	3.31		2.71
RETIRED PERSONS (E)	0.12	0.17	0.10	0.06		0.10
AVERAGE AGE OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD (F) (YRS)	47.36	45.31	46.10	47.30		46.59
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME (G) (\$)	154.09	231.43	296.99	457.35		336.18
COMMODITY OR SERVICE						
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)						
1-6 CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (H)	22.71	23.51	21.48	27.90		24.69
7-10 FUEL AND POWER	4.24	3.89	5.09	5.54		4.96
11-45 FOOD	47.98	48.43	52.97	64.61		56.44
11-14 BREAD, CAKES AND CEREALS	5.70	5.55	5.91	6.70		6.15
15-20 MEAT AND FISH	12.11	11.71	13.05	15.22		13.60
21-27 DAIRY PRODUCTS, OILS AND FATS	8.19	7.44	7.60	8.02		7.81
28-35 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	7.23	7.25	7.22	8.67		7.84
36-45 OTHER FOOD	14.74	16.45	19.17	25.98		21.02
46-50 ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO	11.00	11.89	16.01	18.82		15.86
51-60 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	19.24	20.88	24.04	35.01		27.52
61-69 HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION	12.75	14.56	16.75	24.36		19.09
70-74 MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)	6.98	7.69	8.91	10.75		9.24
75-83 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION	31.27	34.98	46.98	60.66		48.72
84-92 RECREATION AND EDUCATION	17.75	21.25	19.50	33.51		25.52
93-97 MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	14.24	15.14	19.20	29.37		22.15
1-97 TOTAL EXPENDITURE (I)	188.21	202.25	230.99	310.57		254.24
98-102 OTHER PAYMENTS (J)	32.11	35.79	46.23	87.31		59.94
NATURE OF HOUSING OCCUPANCY						
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS ('000)						
RENTED (INCLUDING RENT FREE)	6.7	11.8	14.9	11.7		45.1
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE	11.9	21.4	36.6	63.6		133.5
OWNED OUTRIGHT	8.2	13.1	17.5	27.4		66.1
TOTAL	26.8	46.3	68.9	102.7		244.7

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TABLE 6.12

## EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS (a) WITH ONE ADULT AND NO CHILDREN (c) BY CAPITAL CITY

ITEM NO. (A)	SYDNEY	MELB- OURNE	BRIS- BANE	ADEL- AIDE	PERTH	HOBART	CAN- BERRA	ALL HOUSE- HOLDS
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN SAMPLE (B)	406	401	174	127	139	108	52	1407
ESTIMATED TOTAL NUMBER IN POPULATION								
HOUSEHOLDS ('000)	156.6	128.3	45.8	36.2	32.5	8.9	4.9	413.2
PERSONS (C) ('000)	156.6	128.3	45.8	36.2	32.5	8.9	4.9	413.2
PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER ('000)	156.6	128.3	45.4	36.1	32.3	8.8	4.9	412.5
AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD								
ALL PERSONS	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
MALES	0.41	0.40	0.41	0.32	0.46	0.33	0.39	0.40
FEMALES	0.59	0.60	0.59	0.68	0.54	0.67	0.61	0.60
5 AND UNDER 18 YEARS	..	..	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01	..	0.00
18 AND UNDER 65 YEARS	0.66	0.60	0.62	0.55	0.66	0.56	0.64	0.63
65 YEARS AND OVER	0.34	0.40	0.38	0.45	0.33	0.43	0.36	0.37
PERSONS WORKING (D)	0.51	0.50	0.50	0.38	0.54	0.45	0.64	0.50
RETIRED PERSONS (E)	0.16	0.16	0.11	0.13	0.13	0.17	0.18	0.15
AVERAGE AGE OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD (F) (YRS)	53.63	54.91	55.26	57.67	52.76	58.37	50.76	54.56
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME (G) (\$)	103.04	99.96	91.12	79.65	91.07	90.86	155.42	98.13
COMMODITY OR SERVICE								
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)								
1-6 CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (H)	15.76	13.56	11.73	12.57	13.92	11.21	19.50	14.15
7-10 FUEL AND POWER	1.92	2.66	1.47	1.76	1.46	2.28	3.23	2.07
11-45 FOOD	15.47	13.82	12.81	13.40	13.66	12.87	16.80	14.30
11-14 BREAD, CAKES AND CEREALS	1.38	1.39	1.55	1.48	1.31	1.26	1.52	1.40
15-20 MEAT AND FISH	3.32	3.07	2.91	3.12	2.76	3.45	4.21	3.15
21-27 DAIRY PRODUCTS, OILS AND FATS	1.89	1.73	1.74	1.91	1.76	1.64	2.16	1.82
28-35 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	2.14	1.84	1.91	1.87	1.88	1.52	2.28	1.97
36-45 OTHER FOOD	6.73	5.77	4.68	5.02	5.94	4.99	6.61	5.95
46-50 ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO	5.04	4.52	3.69	3.23	4.70	3.87	6.36	4.54
51-60 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	6.11	6.84	4.14	4.64	5.55	5.97	7.66	5.96
61-69 HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION	5.95	6.60	4.10	6.44	5.95	5.31	6.51	5.98
70-74 MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)	2.51	2.36	2.18	2.57	2.49	2.10	2.69	2.42
75-83 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION	9.05	11.70	8.67	9.86	10.10	12.69	13.84	10.12
84-92 RECREATION AND EDUCATION	5.72	6.00	5.79	6.42	5.34	5.26	9.08	5.88
93-97 MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	11.17	9.11	7.23	9.04	10.76	7.01	11.04	9.78
1-97 TOTAL EXPENDITURE (I)	78.73	77.21	61.84	69.97	73.96	68.59	96.73	75.24
98-102 OTHER PAYMENTS (J)	16.55	13.78	21.32	10.27	17.44	-3.49*	51.40	15.72
NATURE OF HOUSING OCCUPANCY								
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS ('000)								
RENTED (INCLUDING RENT FREE)	77.7	60.3	16.1	15.0	18.1	3.6	2.7	193.5
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE	18.5	16.2	5.3	4.5	4.0	1.2	1.1	50.8
OWNED OUTRIGHT	60.4	51.8	24.4	16.7	10.4	4.0	1.1	168.9
TOTAL	156.6	128.3	45.8	36.2	32.5	8.9	4.9	413.2

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TABLE 6.13

## EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITH TWO ADULTS AND NO CHILDREN(c) BY CAPITAL CITY

ITEM NO. (A)	SYDNEY	MELB-OURNE	BRIS-BANE	ADEL-AIDE	PERTH	HOBART	CAN-BERRA	ALL HOUSE-HOLDS
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN SAMPLE (B)	602	674	303	290	294	155	156	2474
ESTIMATED TOTAL NUMBER IN POPULATION								
HOUSEHOLDS ('000)	249.6	222.9	84.0	83.6	66.6	13.6	14.8	735.1
PERSONS (C) ('000)	499.3	445.8	167.9	167.2	133.2	27.2	29.6	1470.1
PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER ('000)	498.2	445.8	167.9	167.2	132.9	27.2	29.5	1468.8
AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD								
ALL PERSONS	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
MALES	0.99	0.96	0.92	0.98	0.97	0.97	0.99	0.97
FEMALES	1.01	1.04	1.08	1.02	1.03	1.03	1.01	1.03
5 AND UNDER 18 YEARS	0.00	..	..	..	0.00	..	0.00	0.00
18 AND UNDER 65 YEARS	1.60	1.57	1.51	1.54	1.53	1.54	1.87	1.57
65 YEARS AND OVER	0.40	0.43	0.49	0.46	0.46	0.46	0.13	0.42
PERSONS WORKING (D)	1.27	1.26	1.18	1.20	1.21	1.09	1.69	1.25
RETIRED PERSONS (E)	0.24	0.22	0.25	0.23	0.21	0.29	0.07	0.23
AVERAGE AGE OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD (F) (YRS)	47.81	48.79	50.52	50.95	47.88	51.64	38.25	48.66
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME (G) (\$)	195.43	204.67	179.10	174.60	180.57	165.23	287.77	193.95
COMMODITY OR SERVICE								
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)								
1-6 CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (H)	23.91	23.13	22.59	15.87	17.21	20.17	32.90	22.11
7-10 FUEL AND POWER	2.80	3.91	2.20	2.57	2.52	3.54	4.49	3.06
11-45 FOOD	27.17	25.70	23.26	23.50	24.48	24.04	29.70	25.61
11-14 BREAD, CAKES AND CEREALS	2.72	2.59	2.40	2.50	2.47	2.49	2.62	2.59
15-20 MEAT AND FISH	6.72	6.87	6.33	6.50	6.41	6.51	7.36	6.68
21-27 DAIRY PRODUCTS, OILS AND FATS	3.37	3.29	3.38	3.04	3.31	3.14	3.67	3.30
28-35 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	4.16	3.81	3.87	3.43	3.60	3.36	4.49	3.88
36-45 OTHER FOOD	10.19	9.13	7.27	8.01	8.68	8.54	11.54	9.15
46-50 ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO	9.60	8.76	8.19	7.78	8.32	7.96	11.28	8.87
51-60 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	10.65	14.29	10.14	11.18	9.63	8.90	16.42	11.75
61-69 HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION	14.61	15.42	13.08	14.74	15.10	12.42	21.23	14.83
70-74 MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)	5.24	5.29	4.33	5.19	4.63	3.45	5.59	5.06
75-83 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION	22.00	21.78	22.06	23.03	21.85	19.29	31.23	22.18
84-92 RECREATION AND EDUCATION	9.77	10.63	7.78	9.08	16.43	6.89	14.27	10.37
93-97 MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	16.03	13.90	13.20	13.34	12.15	12.26	17.13	14.36
1-97 TOTAL EXPENDITURE (I)	141.81	142.86	126.87	126.32	132.35	118.95	184.28	138.23
98-102 OTHER PAYMENTS (J)	35.87	44.54	27.54	37.03	33.96	30.11	82.59	38.34
NATURE OF HOUSING OCCUPANCY								
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS ('000)								
RENTED (INCLUDING RENT FREE)	89.1	74.3	24.3	20.3	18.9	4.0	7.1	238.1
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE	66.7	70.8	24.8	29.7	21.9	4.4	6.2	224.6
OWNED OUTRIGHT	93.8	77.8	34.8	33.6	25.7	5.1	1.5	272.4
TOTAL	249.6	222.9	84.0	83.6	66.6	13.6	14.8	735.1

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TABLE 6.14 EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITH THREE OR MORE ADULTS AND NO CHILDREN(c) BY CAPITAL CITY

ITEM NO. (A)	SYDNEY	MELB-OURNE	BRIS-BANE	ADEL-AIDE	PERTH	HOBART	CAN-BERRA	ALL HOUSEHOLDS
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN SAMPLE (B)	201	190	85	81	84	32	25	698
ESTIMATED TOTAL NUMBER IN POPULATION								
HOUSEHOLDS ('000)	79.5	58.6	22.0	21.6	18.2	2.5	2.2	204.5
PERSONS (C) ('000)	262.5	194.7	71.0	72.8	61.7	8.3	7.8	678.9
PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER ('000)	262.1	194.7	71.0	72.8	61.7	8.3	7.8	678.5
AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD								
ALL PERSONS	3.30	3.32	3.22	3.38	3.39	3.34	3.52	3.32
MALES	1.79	1.75	1.71	1.79	1.92	1.74	1.81	1.78
FEMALES	1.52	1.58	1.51	1.59	1.47	1.60	1.71	1.54
5 AND UNDER 18 YEARS	0.00	..	..	..	..	..	..	0.00
18 AND UNDER 65 YEARS	2.96	2.91	2.95	3.01	2.98	2.84	3.30	2.96
65 YEARS AND OVER	0.34	0.41	0.28	0.37	0.41	0.50	0.23	0.36
PERSONS WORKING (D)	2.31	2.12	2.25	2.28	2.35	2.09	2.89	2.25
RETIRED PERSONS (E)	0.23	0.25	0.17	0.27	0.24	0.38	0.22	0.23
AVERAGE AGE OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD (F) (YRS)	51.70	54.36	52.59	52.94	53.71	51.04	42.63	52.76
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME (G) (\$)	328.68	297.66	285.17	293.56	302.14	311.04	483.57	310.52
COMMODITY OR SERVICE								
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)								
1-6 CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (H)	24.59	20.41	18.48	16.38	16.53	17.03	29.73	21.12
7-10 FUEL AND POWER	3.92	4.55	3.13	3.20	3.09	4.02	5.86	3.89
11-45 FOOD	47.96	42.51	43.19	39.61	40.27	44.03	49.64	44.29
11-14 BREAD, CAKES AND CEREALS	4.08	4.47	3.75	4.17	3.45	3.60	3.59	4.10
15-20 MEAT AND FISH	11.59	10.99	9.75	9.45	10.64	11.14	13.09	10.92
21-27 DAIRY PRODUCTS, OILS AND FATS	5.67	5.70	4.99	4.85	4.94	5.12	5.07	5.44
28-35 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	6.65	5.99	5.45	5.17	5.32	5.93	6.25	6.05
36-45 OTHER FOOD	19.95	15.33	19.23	15.95	15.90	18.22	21.62	17.77
46-50 ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO	16.39	14.11	16.83	13.01	19.60	19.46	20.84	15.80
51-60 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	20.90	21.58	19.02	23.42	18.99	27.25	44.14	21.32
61-69 HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION	17.85	19.23	15.37	14.38	14.46	19.55	19.51	17.35
70-74 MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)	8.27	8.74	5.78	7.97	6.79	6.17	6.28	7.92
75-83 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION	47.08	43.43	44.12	42.31	50.86	50.37	87.47	46.03
84-92 RECREATION AND EDUCATION	20.04	26.05	21.83	23.03	40.41	15.93	54.47	24.41
93-97 MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	22.74	22.32	23.09	20.15	19.49	24.59	45.97	22.37
1-97 TOTAL EXPENDITURE (I)	229.78	222.97	210.88	203.49	230.55	228.43	363.94	224.54
98-102 OTHER PAYMENTS (J)	66.47	57.62	57.26	53.58	61.36	55.32	67.53	61.01
NATURE OF HOUSING OCCUPANCY								
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS ('000)								
RENTED (INCLUDING RENT FREE)	21.1	9.9	6.4	5.3	2.8	0.4	0.9	47.0
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE	23.1	16.1	6.5	7.8	6.7	1.2	0.9	62.3
OWNED OUTRIGHT	35.2	32.6	9.1	8.4	8.7	0.8	0.4	95.3
TOTAL	79.5	58.6	22.0	21.6	18.2	2.5	2.2	204.5

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TABLE 6.15

## EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITH ONE ADULT AND CHILDREN(d) BY CAPITAL CITY

ITEM NO. (A)	SYDNEY	MELB- OURNE	BRIS- BANE	ADEL- AIDE	PERTH	HOBART	CAN- BERRA	ALL HOUSE- HOLDS
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN SAMPLE (B)	67	87	41	36	45	16	14	306
ESTIMATED TOTAL NUMBER IN POPULATION								
HOUSEHOLDS ('000)	26.0	27.4	10.5	9.7	9.7	1.5	1.4	86.2
PERSONS (C) ('000)	74.9	86.0	35.2	30.0	29.0	5.9	4.4	265.3
PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER ('000)	26.0	27.4	10.5	9.7	9.7	1.5	1.4	86.2
AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD								
ALL PERSONS	2.88	3.14	3.35	3.10	2.98	4.03	3.03	3.08
MALES	1.12	1.14	1.41	1.05	1.07	1.93	1.17	1.16
FEMALES	1.76	2.00	1.95	2.05	1.91	2.10	1.86	1.91
UNDER 2 YEARS	0.13	0.11	0.14	0.10	0.14	0.22	0.31	0.13
2 AND UNDER 5 YEARS	0.30	0.23	0.31	0.19	0.39	0.35	0.38	0.28
5 AND UNDER 18 YEARS	1.44	1.81	1.90	1.81	1.45	2.46	1.34	1.67
18 AND UNDER 65 YEARS	0.99	0.99	1.00	1.00	0.98	1.00	1.00	0.99
65 YEARS AND OVER	0.01	0.01	..	..	0.02	..	..	0.01
PERSONS WORKING (D)	0.80	0.78	0.90	0.85	0.68	0.47	0.71	0.79
RETIRED PERSONS (E)	0.02	..	..	..	..	..	..	0.01
AVERAGE AGE OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD (F) (YRS)	35.76	37.82	34.13	37.16	36.89	38.22	35.70	36.54
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME (G) (\$)	124.46	129.38	113.74	115.03	110.83	104.63	133.41	121.94
COMMODITY OR SERVICE								
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)								
1-6 CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (H)	23.56	21.05	17.33	19.98	19.51	15.05	20.77	20.96
7-10 FUEL AND POWER	3.55	4.47	2.75	3.08	3.07	3.10	6.35	3.68
11-14 FOOD	24.07	27.43	26.07	27.00	23.61	27.31	25.49	25.74
11-14 BREAD, CAKES AND CEREALS	3.25	3.25	3.28	3.01	3.20	3.36	3.10	3.22
15-20 MEAT AND FISH	5.26	6.45	6.15	5.62	5.58	6.76	5.97	5.86
21-27 DAIRY PRODUCTS, OILS AND FATS	3.74	4.32	4.74	4.02	4.51	4.35	4.56	4.19
28-35 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	3.82	3.91	3.73	3.64	3.07	3.88	3.71	3.73
36-45 OTHER FOOD	7.99	9.48	8.16	10.69	7.23	8.96	8.14	8.72
46-50 ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO	4.23	4.32	4.06	3.60	5.63	3.83	5.85	4.34
51-60 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	12.90	14.05	6.74	13.95	8.40	8.82	13.44	12.06
61-69 HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION	8.65	16.41	8.43	8.16	15.21	4.70	8.52	11.70
70-74 MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)	4.58	3.90	3.28	5.13	2.95	2.05	5.01	4.05
75-83 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION	24.61	12.83	16.14	18.71	18.51	8.88	11.84	18.01
84-92 RECREATION AND EDUCATION	8.74	8.87	8.69	7.63	10.01	9.16	8.22	8.79
93-97 MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	13.72	12.95	9.79	9.29	9.97	6.02	12.51	11.93
1-97 TOTAL EXPENDITURE (I)	128.65	126.29	103.31	116.55	116.91	88.93	118.01	121.29
98-102 OTHER PAYMENTS (J)	4.57	27.57	10.35	8.39	18.57	6.87	23.57	14.95
NATURE OF HOUSING OCCUPANCY								
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS ('000)								
RENTED (INCLUDING RENT FREE)	15.0	12.9	6.2	4.5	4.7	1.0	1.1	45.5
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE	8.2	10.6	2.6	4.2	4.3	0.3	0.3	30.5
OWNED OUTRIGHT	2.8	3.8	1.7	1.0	0.7	0.2	..	10.1
TOTAL	26.0	27.4	10.5	9.7	9.7	1.5	1.4	86.2

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## HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE SURVEY 1974-75

TABLE 6.16 EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITH TWO ADULTS AND ONE CHILD(d) BY CAPITAL CITY

ITEM NO. (A)	SYDNEY	MELB-OURNE	BRIS-BANE	ADEL-AIDE	PERTH	HOBART	CAN-BERRA	ALL HOUSE-HOLDS
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN SAMPLE (B)	252	256	107	115	120	56	67	973
ESTIMATED TOTAL NUMBER IN POPULATION								
HOUSEHOLDS ('000)	98.4	81.7	28.3	30.5	26.6	4.5	6.5	276.5
PERSONS (C) ('000)	295.1	245.1	84.9	91.6	79.7	13.6	19.4	829.4
PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER ('000)	196.3	162.7	56.6	61.1	53.1	9.0	12.9	551.8
AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD								
ALL PERSONS	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
MALES	1.49	1.57	1.45	1.54	1.34	1.49	1.37	1.50
FEMALES	1.51	1.43	1.55	1.46	1.66	1.51	1.63	1.50
UNDER 2 YEARS	0.39	0.33	0.36	0.25	0.32	0.34	0.44	0.35
2 AND UNDER 5 YEARS	0.22	0.23	0.16	0.23	0.23	0.25	0.19	0.22
5 AND UNDER 18 YEARS	0.40	0.45	0.48	0.52	0.46	0.41	0.36	0.44
18 AND UNDER 65 YEARS	1.98	1.98	1.98	1.98	1.96	1.98	2.00	1.98
65 YEARS AND OVER	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.04	0.02	..	0.02
PERSONS WORKING (D)	1.39	1.51	1.57	1.45	1.42	1.53	1.61	1.46
RETIRED PERSONS (E)	0.02	0.01	0.04	..	0.04	0.04	0.02	0.02
AVERAGE AGE OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD (F) (YRS)	35.14	35.90	37.47	37.46	37.68	35.86	33.06	36.07
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME (G) (\$)	203.54	210.04	209.92	192.93	185.31	194.65	258.67	204.33
COMMODITY OR SERVICE								
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)								
1-6 CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (H)	31.20	26.73	27.17	24.10	23.28	21.84	30.17	27.74
7-10 FUEL AND POWER	3.40	4.61	2.70	3.17	2.88	4.71	5.58	3.69
11-45 FOOD	33.86	33.10	30.50	30.14	27.95	28.21	32.24	32.18
11-14 BREAD, CAKES AND CEREALS	3.55	3.37	3.34	3.40	2.93	3.15	3.29	3.39
15-20 MEAT AND FISH	7.93	8.73	7.19	7.38	6.76	6.28	7.90	7.89
21-27 DAIRY PRODUCTS, OILS AND FATS	5.31	4.74	5.18	4.28	4.53	4.04	4.96	4.91
28-35 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	5.38	4.86	4.31	3.92	4.23	3.68	4.62	4.80
36-45 OTHER FOOD	11.68	11.39	10.47	11.15	9.48	11.04	11.46	11.19
46-50 ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO	9.34	8.30	8.53	7.22	8.82	7.90	11.35	8.69
51-60 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	12.47	12.73	11.97	13.19	10.59	10.15	14.61	12.41
61-69 HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION	16.95	17.53	14.66	19.40	10.33	29.74	32.62	17.10
70-74 MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)	6.30	6.61	5.37	6.23	6.13	5.17	7.74	6.29
75-83 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION	25.87	24.33	29.35	26.30	22.81	22.78	39.15	25.78
84-92 RECREATION AND EDUCATION	12.08	13.70	11.83	18.29	10.73	13.58	12.01	13.11
93-97 MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	12.26	10.95	9.71	9.79	12.71	11.57	15.38	11.45
1-97 TOTAL EXPENDITURE (I)	163.76	158.63	151.84	157.87	136.26	155.70	200.89	158.47
98-102 OTHER PAYMENTS (J)	45.02	40.02	41.55	38.76	30.37	50.04	70.91	41.77
NATURE OF HOUSING OCCUPANCY								
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS ('000)								
RENTED (INCLUDING RENT FREE)	37.6	24.7	8.0	7.8	8.9	1.4	3.0	91.5
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE	48.0	44.6	15.1	18.6	13.8	2.2	3.3	145.7
OWNED OUTRIGHT	12.8	12.3	5.2	4.1	3.8	0.9	0.1	39.3
TOTAL	98.4	81.7	28.3	30.5	26.6	4.5	6.5	276.5

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## HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE SURVEY 1974-75

TABLE 6.17

## EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITH TWO ADULTS AND TWO CHILDREN(d) BY CAPITAL CITY

ITEM NO. (A)	SYDNEY	MELB-OURNE	BRIS-BANE	ADEL-AIDE	PERTH	HOBART	CAN-BERRA	ALL HOUSE-HOLDS
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN SAMPLE (B)	296	358	170	145	170	83	115	1337
ESTIMATED TOTAL NUMBER IN POPULATION								
HOUSEHOLDS ('000)	121.3	114.7	43.9	37.1	36.0	7.3	11.9	372.1
PERSONS (C) ('000)	485.1	458.6	175.6	148.2	143.9	29.2	47.7	1488.4
PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER ('000)	242.6	229.3	87.8	74.1	72.0	14.6	23.9	744.2
AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD								
ALL PERSONS	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00
MALES	2.07	2.06	1.93	2.08	2.02	1.94	1.96	2.04
FEMALES	1.93	1.94	2.07	1.92	1.98	2.06	2.04	1.96
UNDER 2 YEARS	0.24	0.32	0.33	0.25	0.32	0.30	0.34	0.29
2 AND UNDER 5 YEARS	0.56	0.51	0.55	0.55	0.49	0.41	0.53	0.53
5 AND UNDER 18 YEARS	1.20	1.17	1.12	1.20	1.19	1.28	1.13	1.18
18 AND UNDER 65 YEARS	1.99	1.99	2.00	1.99	1.99	2.00	1.99	1.99
65 YEARS AND OVER	0.01	0.01	..	0.01	0.01	..	0.01	0.01
PERSONS WORKING (D)	1.44	1.48	1.54	1.48	1.45	1.48	1.48	1.47
RETIRED PERSONS (E)	..	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.02	..	..	0.01
AVERAGE AGE OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD (F) (YRS)	36.98	35.84	34.80	36.17	35.44	36.07	35.37	36.07
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME (G) (\$)	209.86	216.57	197.97	206.20	202.43	215.48	270.45	211.49
COMMODITY OR SERVICE								
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)								
1-6 CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (H)	27.54	26.72	26.68	21.87	25.44	25.41	30.82	26.48
7-10 FUEL AND POWER	3.92	4.99	2.82	3.48	3.09	4.80	6.34	4.09
11-45 FOOD	38.49	38.25	33.63	32.87	33.25	35.52	37.72	36.69
11-14 BREAD, CAKES AND CEREALS	4.45	4.38	3.78	4.08	3.90	4.03	4.08	4.24
15-20 MEAT AND FISH	8.92	9.26	8.57	7.81	7.38	8.99	10.04	8.76
21-27 DAIRY PRODUCTS, OILS AND FATS	5.95	6.36	5.93	4.92	5.45	5.85	5.77	5.91
28-35 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	5.82	5.50	4.71	4.64	4.85	4.74	5.88	5.36
36-45 OTHER FOOD	13.35	12.74	10.62	11.40	11.66	11.89	11.94	12.41
46-50 ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO	11.56	8.31	8.06	6.66	7.76	9.30	9.68	9.19
51-60 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	12.77	15.08	12.01	13.75	13.79	14.41	11.58	13.58
61-69 HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION	17.04	15.90	15.60	17.74	17.34	16.79	21.35	16.75
70-74 MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)	7.09	6.96	5.47	7.38	6.13	5.28	6.96	6.76
75-83 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION	29.09	25.83	24.44	34.88	25.59	21.04	33.65	27.76
84-92 RECREATION AND EDUCATION	14.32	14.30	14.08	11.11	13.83	12.81	19.09	14.04
93-97 MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	13.56	17.73	10.76	10.13	10.13	16.30	14.08	13.91
1-97 TOTAL EXPENDITURE (I)	175.42	174.11	153.57	159.92	156.39	161.69	191.30	169.29
98-102 OTHER PAYMENTS (J)	51.20	53.58	36.97	52.61	38.42	61.33	68.47	49.91
NATURE OF HOUSING OCCUPANCY								
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS ('000)								
RENTED (INCLUDING RENT FREE)	28.9	23.0	9.0	6.8	8.7	1.4	3.1	80.8
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE	68.4	71.5	30.4	24.5	22.6	4.8	8.4	230.6
OWNED OUTRIGHT	24.0	20.2	4.5	5.8	4.7	1.1	0.5	60.7
TOTAL	121.3	114.7	43.9	37.1	36.0	7.3	11.9	372.1

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TABLE 6.18 EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITH TWO ADULTS AND THREE OR MORE CHILDREN(d) BY CAPITAL CITY

ITEM NO. (A)	SYDNEY	MELB-OURNE	BRIS-BANE	ADEL-AIDE	PERTH	HOBART	CAN-BERRA	ALL HOUSE-HOLDS
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN SAMPLE (B)	237	299	137	105	149	66	71	1064
ESTIMATED TOTAL NUMBER IN POPULATION								
HOUSEHOLDS ('000)	96.2	97.6	36.2	27.9	31.9	5.7	6.9	302.4
PERSONS (C) ('000)	529.5	535.0	207.8	150.2	176.7	31.8	38.7	1669.7
PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER ('000)	192.5	195.2	72.4	55.8	63.7	11.3	13.9	604.8
AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD								
ALL PERSONS	5.50	5.48	5.74	5.39	5.54	5.60	5.58	5.52
MALES	2.67	2.74	2.98	2.74	2.67	2.79	2.82	2.74
FEMALES	2.83	2.74	2.76	2.64	2.88	2.81	2.76	2.78
UNDER 2 YEARS	0.21	0.25	0.24	0.12	0.22	0.19	0.19	0.22
2 AND UNDER 5 YEARS	0.63	0.57	0.63	0.62	0.56	0.63	0.51	0.60
5 AND UNDER 18 YEARS	2.67	2.66	2.87	2.64	2.76	2.78	2.88	2.70
18 AND UNDER 65 YEARS	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
PERSONS WORKING (D)	1.50	1.53	1.63	1.59	1.66	1.67	1.62	1.55
AVERAGE AGE OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD (F) (YRS)	38.37	37.23	37.68	38.40	37.94	37.27	38.20	37.85
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME (G) (\$)	229.97	223.36	235.31	208.86	205.30	219.05	272.99	224.71
COMMODITY OR SERVICE								
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)								
1-6 CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (H)	28.70	26.81	22.75	25.16	26.03	21.01	25.86	26.56
7-10 FUEL AND POWER	4.53	5.31	3.31	3.52	3.53	5.64	5.34	4.47
11-45 FOOD	44.84	43.60	40.55	39.15	38.52	42.80	49.14	42.80
11-14 BREAD, CAKES AND CEREALS	5.84	5.67	5.48	5.15	5.32	5.32	5.58	5.61
15-20 MEAT AND FISH	10.86	10.29	9.18	9.72	8.97	10.68	13.60	10.23
21-27 DAIRY PRODUCTS, OILS AND FATS	7.52	7.36	7.86	6.07	6.71	7.04	7.28	7.27
28-35 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	6.82	6.38	5.60	5.22	5.60	5.99	6.97	6.25
36-45 OTHER FOOD	13.78	13.89	12.42	12.97	11.90	13.74	15.71	13.42
46-50 ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO	9.72	8.93	7.16	7.56	8.94	7.20	9.56	8.83
51-60 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	16.86	17.81	12.52	16.19	12.03	19.54	23.34	16.28
61-69 HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION	20.12	14.60	12.92	14.09	15.49	19.68	29.11	16.63
70-74 MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)	7.60	7.68	5.31	7.07	6.79	6.30	6.74	7.18
75-83 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION	27.32	28.49	22.87	26.48	28.46	28.88	45.12	27.65
84-92 RECREATION AND EDUCATION	16.30	21.72	14.12	19.86	15.65	15.03	19.71	18.10
93-97 MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	17.19	15.35	12.06	15.63	10.72	16.76	15.39	15.11
1-97 TOTAL EXPENDITURE (I)	193.22	190.35	153.61	174.74	166.21	182.87	229.35	183.63
98-102 OTHER PAYMENTS (J)	47.11	42.87	49.91	50.11	38.55	38.43	58.70	45.55
NATURE OF HOUSING OCCUPANCY								
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS ('000)								
RENTED (INCLUDING RENT FREE)	21.4	22.3	8.4	5.7	7.2	1.0	2.6	68.4
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE	60.9	62.8	22.1	19.7	21.3	4.3	4.0	195.2
OWNED OUTRIGHT	14.0	12.5	5.8	2.5	3.4	0.4	0.4	38.8
TOTAL	96.2	97.6	36.2	27.9	31.9	5.7	6.9	302.4

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TABLE 6.19 EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS(a) WITH THREE OR MORE ADULTS AND CHILDREN(d) BY CAPITAL CITY

ITEM NO. (A)	SYDNEY	MELB-OURNE	BRIS-BANE	ADEL-AIDE	PERTH	HOBART	CAN-BERRA	ALL HOUSE-HOLDS
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN SAMPLE (B)	194	279	102	84	88	46	43	836
ESTIMATED TOTAL NUMBER IN POPULATION								
HOUSEHOLDS ('000)	77.5	90.9	27.0	21.8	19.7	3.8	4.0	244.7
PERSONS (C) ('000)	405.7	495.9	147.7	114.3	103.4	19.4	21.0	1307.4
PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER ('000)	259.9	306.9	92.0	71.6	64.2	12.4	13.2	820.1
AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD								
ALL PERSONS	5.23	5.45	5.47	5.25	5.24	5.09	5.27	5.34
MALES	2.68	2.83	2.79	2.51	2.63	2.61	2.70	2.73
FEMALES	2.55	2.62	2.68	2.74	2.61	2.48	2.57	2.61
UNDER 2 YEARS	0.10	0.17	0.14	0.07	0.07	0.16	0.09	0.12
2 AND UNDER 5 YEARS	0.17	0.20	0.24	0.12	0.16	0.14	0.15	0.18
5 AND UNDER 18 YEARS	1.61	1.71	1.69	1.77	1.76	1.53	1.72	1.68
18 AND UNDER 65 YEARS	3.20	3.25	3.29	3.17	3.10	3.13	3.28	3.22
65 YEARS AND OVER	0.16	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.16	0.12	0.03	0.14
PERSONS WORKING (D)	2.68	2.72	2.80	2.59	2.80	2.75	2.74	2.71
RETIRED PERSONS (E)	0.08	0.12	0.08	0.08	0.11	0.08	0.03	0.10
AVERAGE AGE OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD (F) (YRS)	47.16	46.15	45.77	47.80	46.35	47.42	45.15	46.59
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME (G) (\$)	341.77	343.52	336.08	298.36	312.98	332.17	385.42	336.18
COMMODITY OR SERVICE								
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE (\$)								
1-6 CURRENT HOUSING COSTS (H)	27.21	25.66	20.13	17.18	25.02	24.23	24.72	24.69
7-10 FUEL AND POWER	4.77	5.89	3.66	3.95	4.30	4.62	5.36	4.96
11-45 FOOD	59.33	57.62	52.29	50.33	54.08	51.87	50.95	56.44
11-14 BREAD, CAKES AND CEREALS	6.44	6.25	5.99	5.78	5.49	5.04	5.67	6.15
15-20 MEAT AND FISH	14.45	14.28	12.42	11.85	11.41	11.14	12.45	13.60
21-27 DAIRY PRODUCTS, OILS AND FATS	8.29	7.87	7.83	6.70	7.05	7.42	7.30	7.81
28-35 FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	8.51	8.00	7.55	6.58	6.63	5.92	7.64	7.84
36-45 OTHER FOOD	21.62	21.21	18.48	19.42	23.47	22.33	17.88	21.02
46-50 ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO	15.74	15.90	16.38	14.60	16.24	16.74	17.86	15.86
51-60 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	27.51	29.05	25.66	27.30	23.87	32.23	20.19	27.52
61-69 HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND OPERATION	17.13	18.52	17.55	25.43	22.28	34.54	15.38	19.09
70-74 MEDICAL CARE AND HEALTH EXPENSES (Q)	9.70	10.11	7.08	8.24	8.07	6.85	8.57	9.24
75-83 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION	49.37	47.39	51.34	41.25	52.74	46.82	71.77	48.72
84-92 RECREATION AND EDUCATION	28.01	24.99	26.76	18.59	24.71	19.01	28.65	25.52
93-97 MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	20.78	20.59	25.79	23.54	22.61	50.28	23.20	22.15
1-97 TOTAL EXPENDITURE (I)	259.58	255.76	246.67	230.45	253.96	287.22	266.69	254.24
98-102 OTHER PAYMENTS (J)	55.10	69.38	66.71	38.20	49.07	52.72	71.86	59.94
NATURE OF HOUSING OCCUPANCY								
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS ('000)								
RENTED (INCLUDING RENT FREE)	16.8	15.1	5.2	2.5	3.2	0.7	1.6	45.1
IN PROCESS OF PURCHASE	37.2	52.5	14.7	13.7	11.1	2.1	2.1	133.5
OWNED OUTRIGHT	23.5	23.4	7.1	5.6	5.4	1.0	0.2	66.1
TOTAL	77.5	90.9	27.0	21.8	19.7	3.8	4.0	244.7

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## FOOTNOTES AND SYMBOLS

- (a) The sum of all payments for goods and services made by household members aged 15 years and over. *See* paragraph 8 for definition of a household.
- (b) Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Adelaide, Perth, Hobart, Canberra.
- (c) Households where no member (other than the head) is under the age of 18. The head of household is defined as an adult irrespective of age.
- (d) Households containing persons (other than the head) under 18 years of age. The head of household is defined as an adult irrespective of age.
- (e) The sum of gross weekly incomes of household members aged 15 years and over. *See* paragraphs 6 and 7 for definition of income.
  
- (A) Item numbers refer to expenditure ('commodity or service') groups. Details of the individual items which comprise expenditure groups are given in Appendix 1 of Bulletin 1.
- (B) Households providing the full range of information sought. Data provided by sample households were expanded to produce estimates relating to all households represented by the survey.
- (C) *See* paragraph 2 for criteria used in determining whether or not individual persons are included as members of a household.
- (D) *See* paragraph 11.
- (E) *See* paragraph 12.
- (F) *See* paragraph 9. Age was recorded in number of years.
- (G) Household income is the sum of the gross weekly incomes of household members aged 15 years and over. *See* paragraphs 6 and 7 for definition of income.
- (H) Included in 'current housing costs' are both the principal and interest components of any housing loan repayments. Excluded are outright purchase of, or deposit on, dwellings or land, and other payments of a capital nature, which are included in 'Other payments'.
- (I) Does not include the item 'Other payments'.
- (J) Included are payments such as income tax, superannuation contributions, life insurance premiums, purchases of and deposits on dwellings and land, and gambling payments. Receipts from sales of dwellings and land, and gambling winnings, are offset against payments. As a result 'Other payments' sometimes appears as a negative value.
- (K) Includes dwellings rented from bodies such as government housing authorities and the housing section of the Department of the Capital Territory. Dwellings rented to employees by government bodies such as Departments of Army, Education, Railways, and by municipal councils are excluded (these are included in 'other landlord').
- (L) Average weekly expenditure on 'current housing costs' of those households in each occupancy group.
- (M) Net of sales, and insurance claims where items are 'written off'.
- (N) Radio and T.V. licences were discontinued in August 1974. However, expenditure on this particular item was reported on the basis of payment made for a licence current at the time the household was interviewed.
- (P) The total amount of personal income tax (less any refunds) paid in the last financial year by household members aged 15 years and over.
- (Q) Estimates of expenditure on health services are net of any refund received or expected to be received.

\* This figure reflects the effect of some unusual instances of expenditure in a relatively small sample.

† Information not shown because the figures are subject to sampling variability too high for most practical purposes.

.. No data recorded.

0.00 Average value of less than 0.005.

## 1974-75 HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE SURVEY PUBLICATIONS

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**BULLETIN 2 PRELIMINARY RESULTS** (Ref. No. 17.20) (70c, \$1.00)

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Contains estimates of household expenditure by income and household composition (that is, number of adults and children).

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**BULLETIN 8 EXPENDITURE CLASSIFIED BY SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS** (Ref. No. 17.26) (\$1.10, \$1.50)

Contains expenditure estimates for households with selected characteristics (for example, where the head of household was born overseas; pensioner households).

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